

**ANNUAL REPORTS**

*of the*

**TOWN OF HENNIKER**

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

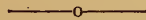


*for the year ending*

**DECEMBER 31, 1944**



**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
OF THE  
**RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES**  
OF THE  
**TOWN OF HENNIKER**  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
TOGETHER WITH THE  
**REPORTS OF TOWN OFFICERS**  
FOR THE  
**YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1944**  
AND THE  
**VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR**  
**1944**



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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

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### **Moderator**

LESTER E. CONNOR

### **Selectmen and Overseers of Poor**

STEPHEN C. BENNETT	Term expires 1945
HARRY A. TUCKER	Deceased
FRED T. CONNOR	Term expires 1946
CHARLES J. BURNHAM	Term expires 1947

### **Town Clerk**

DIAMOND A. MAXWELL	Resigned
CHARLES H. TUCKER	By appointment

### **Town Treasurer**

WILLIAM L. CHILDS

### **Collector of Taxes**

WILLIAM C. GOSS

### **Highway Agent**

CLAYTON F. GOSS

### **Supervisors of Check-List**

FRED A. PEASLEE	ALICE V. FLANDERS
PRESCOTT S. FARRAR	

## **Health Officer and Meat Inspector**

**WILLIAM H. CARR**

## **Water Commissioners**

<b>WILLIAM H. CARR</b>	Term expires 1945
<b>OLIVER D. DANIELS</b>	Term expires 1946
<b>HARRY L. HOLMES</b>	Term expires 1947

## **Trustees of Tucker Free Library**

<b>EDSON W. KELLEY</b>	Term expires 1945
<b>FRED A. PEASLEE</b>	Term expires 1945
<b>ALFRED L. FRENCH</b>	Term expires 1946
<b>DIAMOND A. MAXWELL</b>	Term expires 1946
<b>HARRY B. PRESTON</b>	Term expires 1947
<b>SILAS A. ROWE</b>	Term expires 1947

## **Trustees of Trust Funds**

<b>RUFUS T. MORRISON</b>	Term expires 1945
<b>HARRY B. PRESTON</b>	Term expires 1946
<b>HAROLD W. AYER</b>	Term expires 1947

## **School Board**

<b>HARRY L. HOLMES</b>	Term expires 1945
<b>JOHN P. CHASE</b>	Term expires 1946
<b>DOROTHY C. GOSS</b>	Term expires 1947

## **Fire Engineers**

<b>WILLIAM L. CHILDS</b>	<b>WILBUR J. PARMENTER</b>
<b>GUY H. BRILL</b>	

## **Forest Fire Warden**

**ROBY H. WOOD**

## **Deputy Forest Fire Wardens**

**WILLIAM L. CHILDS      GERALD W. CHAPPELL**  
**LINWOOD HUNTINGTON      ALBERT S. RUSH**

## **Town Auditors**

**FORREST W. DOWLIN      ALFRED L. FRENCH**  
**LESTER E. CONNOR**

## **Ballot Clerks**

**FRANK D. HUTCHINS      ERNEST W. CARNES**  
**SILAS A. ROWE      HARRY L. HOLMES**

## **Police Officers**

**ERNEST P. GREENWOOD, Chief**

## **Deputy Police Officers**

**OLIVER D. DANIELS      MYRON J. HAZEN**  
**ALBERT S. RUSH      ROBY H. WOOD**

## **Dog Constable**

**ERNEST P. GREENWOOD**

## **Sexton of Cemeteries**

**HAROLD A. TUCKER, Sexton of Colby Yard**

## **Fence Viewers**

**LESTER R. BROWN      LESTER H. FARRAR**



### **Surveyors of Wood and Lumber**

ARTHUR STARR

WILLIE H. BEAN

FORREST W. DOWLIN

### **Janitor of Town Hall**

CHARLES E. PALMER, Resigned

ELBERTON E. FARRAR, By appointment

### **Janitor of Academy Hall**

GUY H. BRILL

## TOWN WARRANT



### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Henniker, in the  
County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to  
vote in Town Affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town's Meeting House in said Henniker on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Town meeting will be recessed for School meeting.

The articles in the warrant will be taken up at 11:00 o'clock a. m., and the polls will be closed at 6:00 p. m.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.

3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds and other committees.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repair of highways and bridges.

5. To see what action the town will take in regard to the Public Health Nursing Association, raise money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise or appropriate, to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise, in addition to that required by law, for the support of Tucker Free Library.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the maintenance of the Fire Department, or take any action relative thereto.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise, or appropriate, for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense during the ensuing year of providing and maintaining hydrant service for the extinguishing of fires.

10. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to reinsure the town buildings and town trucks.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for lighting streets for the ensuing year.

12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise towards paying its indebtedness or take any action relative thereto.

13. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

14. To see what action the town will vote to take to prevent the spread of White Pine Blister Rust, raise money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

15. To see if the town will accept State Aid for construction of Class V Roads and raise and appropriate or set aside for said purpose the sum of \$924.93. (State appropriates \$3,699.73 for this purpose providing the town raises the above amount.)

16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for painting and repairing the Town Hall, Engine House and Academy Hall, or take any action relative thereto.

17. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the Albert E. Vitty property or take any action relative thereto.

18. To see if the town will vote to support United States membership in a general system of international cooperation such as that proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks conference, having police power to maintain the peace of the world.

19. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell the old Gen. Taylor Engine (hand pump) or take any action relative thereto.

20. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell the old stone crusher and, or, boiler, or take any action relative thereto.

21. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 24th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-five.

STEPHEN C. BENNETT,  
FRED T. CONNOR,  
CHARLES J. BURNHAM,

Selectmen of Henniker.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

STEPHEN C. BENNETT,  
FRED T. CONNOR,  
CHARLES J. BURNHAM,

Selectmen of Henniker.

## MEMORIAL DAY STATEMENT—1944

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### Receipts—

Received from town treasurer	\$100.00
Balance on hand Legion treasury (1943)	7.80
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	\$107.80

### Paid—

Leon Stewartson, music	\$50.00
F. L. Chase, supplies	19.29
Speakers	10.00
E. H. Carpenter, dinners for band	7.50
Eva Jameson, wreaths and flowers	7.00
K. and P. Store, supplies	5.30
W. E. White, flowers	3.25
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	\$102.34

Balance on hand Legion treasury	\$5.46
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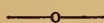
Respectfully submitted,

H. W. COGSWELL,

Adjutant, Davis-Woodman Post  
No. 78, American Legion.

## ESTIMATE OF TAXES TO BE RAISED

IN 1945



County tax

Town Charges	\$4,000.00
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Highways and Bridges	8,000.00
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Memorial Day	100.00
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Libraries	178.00
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Fire Department	700.00
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Hydrant appropriation	1,179.00
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Street lighting	1,232.04
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Interest payments	100.00
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Public Health appropriation	850.00
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Class V roads	924.93
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Blister rust appropriation	300.00
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Painting and repairing town buildings	1,000.00
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## TAXES RAISED IN 1944

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County tax	\$2,838.42
Town charges	4,000.00
Highways and bridges	4,000.00
State Aid on Class V roads	461.35
Fire department	700.00
Street Lighting	1,129.37
Public Health Nursing Association	850.00
Library	178.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Hydrant service	1,179.00
Interest	200.00

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Total Town Appropriations	\$15,636.14
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High School appropriation	\$13,035.00
Elementary school	12,085.00
Salary of district officers	275.00
Truant Officer and school census	15.00
Supt. excess salary	320.00
\$2 per capita tax	506.00
Insurance and expenses of administration	500.00

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Total school appropriations	\$26,736.00
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Total town and school appropriation	\$42,372.14
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Estimated town revenue		
other than taxes	\$2,747.33	
Estimated school revenue		
other than taxes	5,900.00	
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Total revenue	\$8,647.33	
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		\$33,724.81
Plus overlay		1,627.12
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		\$35,351.93
Less poll taxes	\$1,248.00	
National Bank Stock tax	20.00	
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	\$1,268.00	
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Amount to be raised by property tax		\$34,083.00

## TOWN VALUATION, APRIL 1, 1944

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Real estate	\$965,730.00
Electric plants	109,400.00
Growing timber	65,030.00
Horses, 100	9,840.00
Mules, 2	200.00
Oxen, 8	1,155.00
Cows, 504	62,355.00
Neat Stock, 120	9,635.00
Sheep, 32	255.00
Hogs, 29	505.00
Hens, 27,998	33,020.00
Portable mills, 3	3,300.00
Tractors, 16	5,370.00
Wood and lumber	34,305.00
Gasoline pumps	2,900.00
Stock in trade	73,910.00
Mills and machinery	105,000.00
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Total tax valuation	\$1,481,910.00
Soldiers exemptions	7,350.00
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Total valuation	\$1,489,260.00

Rate of tax per \$100. valuation, \$2.30.

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

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Feb. 1, 1944—Cash on hand	\$3,655.34
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### Received—

W. C. Goss, collector, tax 1944	\$37,169.58
W. C. Goss, collector, tax sale 1943	53.17
W. C. Goss, collector, tax sale 1942	14.96
W. C. Goss, collector, 1943 poll taxes after settlement	4.00
W. C. Goss, collector, interest on tax 1944	.46
W. C. Goss, collector, 1944 subsequent poll taxes	93.00
D. A. Maxwell, clerk, balance of 1943 automobile tax	.18
D. A. Maxwell, clerk, automobile tax for 1944	793.48
D. A. Maxwell, clerk, dog taxes for 1944	124.00
D. A. Maxwell, clerk, filing fees	14.00
C. H. Tucker, clerk, automobile taxes for 1944	142.79
C. H. Tucker, dog taxes for 1944	230.00
C. H. Tucker, clerk, filing fees	4.00
Selectmen, note	11,000.00
Selectmen, state, reimbursement for old age assistance	221.27
Selectmen, refund town poor	2.00
Selectmen, income, J. R. Straw Fund	1,425.00
Selectmen, Frank R. Parker, for lumber	46.56
Selectmen, Orville W. Forte, for lumber	48.75

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Selectmen, state, reimbursement of loss on public forest lands	8.05
Selectmen, state, savings bank tax	989.89
Selectmen, state, railroad tax	64.71
Selectmen, state, interest and dividends tax	596.39
Selectmen, income, Frank Constantine fund	13.98
Selectmen, municipal court	10.50
Selectmen, Merrimack county poor off farm	8.00
Selectmen, Town hall rent	39.00
Selectmen, Academy hall rent	24.90
Selectmen, town property sold	100.00
Selectmen, state, forest fire bills	20.83
Selectmen, firearm permits	1.00
Clayton F. Goss, Agt. State, use of town truck	177.00
Clayton F. Goss, Agt. State, use of town grader	474.00
Clayton F. Goss, Agt, plowing driveway	2.00
Clayton F. Goss, Agt. payroll returned	108.80
Total receipts	<hr/> \$57,681.59
Paid by order of selectmen	55,943.51
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1944	<hr/> \$1,738.08

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,

Treasurer.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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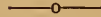
Total 1944 tax levy	\$37,301.93
Less abatements	132.35
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1944 tax to collect	\$37,169.58
Collected and paid treasurer	37,169.58
1944 subsequent tax collected	93.00
Interest collected on 1944 tax	.46
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Total collected and paid treasurer	\$37,263.04
Collected on 1942 tax sales	\$14.96
Collected on 1943 tax sales	53.17
1943 subsequent poll taxes collected	\$4.00

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. GOSS,

Collector.

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT



### Dog Licenses

Issued by Diamond A. Maxwell, Town Clerk

Number of licenses issued, 55.

Classified as follows:—

49	Males at \$2.00	\$98.00	
5	Females at \$5.00	25.00	
1	Kennel at \$12.00	12.00	
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			\$135.00
Less clerk's commission, 55 at 20c			11.00
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			\$124.00
Paid William L. Childs, Treas., to balance			\$124.00

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Diamond A. Maxwell, Collector of Dog Taxes, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN.  
LESTER E. CONNOR,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,

April 29, 1944

Auditors.

Issued by Charles H. Tucker, Deputy Town Clerk

Number of licenses issued, 95.

Classified as follows:—

80	Males at \$2.00	\$160.00
13	Females at \$5.00	65.00
2	Kennels at \$12.00	24.00

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\$249.00

Less Clerk's commission, 95 at 20c 19.00

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\$230.00

Paid William L. Childs, Treas., to balance \$230.00

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Charles H. Tucker, Collector of Dog Taxes, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN.  
LESTER E. CONNOR,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,

January 12, 1945

Auditors.

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**Filing Fees**

Filing fees received for July Primary 1944 \$4.00

Paid William L. Childs, Treas., to balance \$4.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. TUCKER,

Deputy Town Clerk.

### Automobile Permits

Issued by Diamond A. Maxwell, Town Clerk

Whole number of permits issued from

Feb. 1, 1944 to April 29, 1944, 351.

Received for permits issued	\$793.48
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Paid William L. Childs, Treas., to balance	\$793.48
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We hereby certify we have examined the accounts of Diamond A. Maxwell, Town Clerk and Collector of Motor Vehicle Permit fees and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN.

LESTER E. CONNOR,

ALFRED L. FRENCH,

April 29, 1944

Auditors.

Issued by Charles H. Tucker, Deputy Town Clerk

Whole number of permits issued from

May 1, 1944 to Dec. 31, 1944 88.

Received for permits issued	\$142.79
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Paid William L. Childs, Treas., to balance	\$142.79
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Total number of all permits issued for

Town Year	439
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Total amount of all fees collected for

Town Year	\$936.27
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We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Charles H. Tucker, Deputy Town Clerk



and Collector of Motor Vehicle Permits and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN.

LESTER E. CONNOR,

ALFRED L. FRENCH,

January 12, 1945.

Auditors.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. TUCKER,

Deputy Town Clerk.

## REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF THE INCOME FROM THE STRAW FUND

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Feb. 1, 1944 balance in hand of treasurer	\$84.97
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	1,425.00
	\$1,509.97

Paid—

Balance serial note No. 85	\$500.00
Payment on serial note No. 88	250.00
Payment on serial note No. 89	250.00
Payment on serial note No. 90	250.00
	\$1,250.00
Balance in hand of town treasurer	\$259.97

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## REPORT OF CONSTANTINE POOR FUND

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Feb. 1, 1944 balance in hand of treasurer	\$13.81
Received from treasurer of Trust Funds	13.98
	\$27.79
Paid to poor	13.81
	\$13.98
Jan. 1, 1945 balance in hand of town treasurer	\$13.98

## REPORT OF JANITOR OF ACADEMY HALL

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Rentals paid by Grange	\$75.00
Rentals to Jan. 1, 1945	24.90
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Collected and paid town treasurer	\$99.90

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## REPORTS OF JANITORS OF TOWN HALL

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Rentals to Jan. 1, 1945	\$39.00
Collected and paid town treasurer	\$39.00

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## REPORT OF MUNICIPAL COURT

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LEWIS H. CARPENTER, Judge

Paid—

Lewis H. Carpenter, services as judge 1944	\$100.00
Received for fines in 1944	\$10.50

## HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

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The past year the general health of the Community was very good.

There were no cases of the more serious epidemic type and no case that required isolation.

I have sent nine samples of milk or cream, also seven samples of water from the Town supply to the State Laboratory for analysis. All reports satisfactory.

I have inspected one Foster Home. I have inspected all toilets in schools and Rest Rooms.

Several complaints were investigated and in all cases we have had good cooperation.

WILLIAM H. CARR,

Jan. 1, 1945

Health Officer.

## HENNIKER PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

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Feb. 1, 1944—

### Receipts—

Cash on hand	\$202.51	
Met. Life Insurance Co.	22.50	
John Hancock Life Insurance Co.	5.25	
Annual supper	22.20	
Mrs. Mae A. Maillette fees	106.50	
Henniker School District	200.00	
Town of Henniker	850.00	
Total receipts		\$1,408.96

### Payments—

Mae A. Maillette, services and telephone less withholding tax	\$1,101.10	
Mae A. Maillette, use of car	100.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue withholding tax	21.60	
Bank service on bank account	.15	
Henniker Pharmacy, supplies	14.95	
Total payments		\$1,237.65
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1945		\$171.16

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. BURNHAM,

Treasurer.

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

January 13, 1945

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We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Henniker, hereby certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Janitor of Town Hall, Janitor of Academy Hall, Agent for Memorial Day Appropriation, Agent of Town Highways, Henniker Public Health Association, Justice of the Municipal Court, Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, Board of Trustees of Trust Funds including Securities as tabulated in the report, and deposits in Savings Banks and National Banks, Collector of Water Rents, and Clerk and Treasurer of Water Commissioners, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH  
LESTER E. CONNOR,

January 16, 1945.

Auditors.

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
of the  
**TOWN OF HENNIKER**  
**MERRIMACK COUNTY**  
for the  
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1944

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**CERTIFICATE**

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

STEPHEN C. BENNETT,  
FRED T. CONNOR,  
CHARLES J. BURNHAM,

Selectmen.

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,

Treasurer.

## ASSETS

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### Cash:

In hands of treasurer	\$1,738.08
In hands of treasurer of the Water Works	761.72

### Accounts Due Town:

Porcupine bounties	124.00
Water rent due water works	245.39
Unredeemed taxes, 1943	13.03
Unredeemed taxes, 1942	55.64

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Total assets	\$2,937.86
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	65,181.38

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Grand total	\$68,119.24
Net debt Jan. 31, 1944	\$64,314.05
Net debt Dec. 31, 1944	65,181.38

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Increase in debt	\$867.33
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## LIABILITIES

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### Accounts owed by town:

Due on sidewalk construction	\$2,076.36
Due to School District:	
Dog licenses	331.88
Balance 1944 approp.	7,836.00

### Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Note No. 75	500.00
Note No. 86	500.00
Note No. 88	250.00
Note No. 89	250.00
Note No. 90	250.00

### Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by Town:

Notes used by Cogswell	
Spring Water Works	50,000.00
Note No. 94 used by Cogswell Spring Water Works	6,125.00
Total liabilities	<hr/> \$68,119.24

## RECEIPTS

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### Current Revenue:

#### From Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed	
to collector, 1944	\$37,301.93
Less abatements	132.35
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	\$37,159.58
Property taxes, current	
year, actually collected	\$34,050.58
Poll taxes, current year	
regular at \$2, actually	
collected	1,242.00
Poll taxes, current year,	
special at \$3, actually	
collected	1,950.00
National bank stock tax	20.00
Poll taxes, previous years,	
actually collected	4.00
Tax sales redeemed	68.13

#### From State:

Interest and dividend tax	596.89
Railroad tax	64.71
Savings bank tax	989.89
Reimbursement a-c State and	
Federal forest lands	8.05
Fighting forest fires	20.83

#### From County:

For support of poor	8.00
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**From Local Sources, Except Taxes:**

Dog licenses	354.00
Firearms permits	1.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	10.50
Rent of town property	63.90
Interest received on taxes	.46
Income from trust funds	1,438.98
Income from departments	894.07
Registration of motor vehicles 1943-44 permits	1.67
Registration of motor vehicles 1944-45 permits	934.78

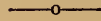
**Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:**

Temporary loans in anti- cipation of taxes	11,000.00
Refund	2.00
Sale of town property acquired by tax deed	100.00
Filing fees	18.00
Use of grader	89.00
Lumber sold	95.31

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Total receipts from all sources	\$54,026.25
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1944	3,655.34
Grand Total	<hr/> \$57,681.59

## PAYMENTS



### Current Maintenance Expenses:

#### General Government:

1.	Town officers salaries	\$1,510.72
2.	Town officers expenses	984.35
3.	Election and registration	265.48
4.	Municipal court	100.00
5.	Town hall and other buildings	441.54

#### Protection of Persons and Property:

6.	Police department	128.65
7.	Fire department, includ- ing forest fires	1,726.23
9.	Bounties	124.00
10.	Damage by dogs	22.12

#### Health:

11.	Health, including Public Health Association	1,046.53
12.	Vital statistics	68.00
13.	Sewer maintenance	240.62

#### Highways and Bridges:

14.	Town road aid	738.53
15.	Town road maintenance	6,251.08
16.	Street lighting	1,129.07
17.	General expenses of highway department	990.35

**Libraries:**

18. Libraries	223.00
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**Public Welfare:**

19. Old age assistance	1,162.72
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20. Town poor	24.00
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Town poor, from Constantine fund	13.81
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21. County poor	8.00
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**Patriotic Purposes:**

22. Memorial Day appropriation	100.00
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**Recreation:**

25. Light at Woodman Park	14.63
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**Public Service Enterprises:**

27. Hearse hire	90.00
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**Unclassified:**

30. Taxes paid by town	4.60
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31. War emergency	30.72
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**Interest:**

32. Paid on temporary loans	51.18
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33. Paid on long term notes	70.00
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**Indebtedness:**

44. Payments on temporary loans	11,000.00
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45. Payments on long term notes	1,250.00
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**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

50.	Special poll taxes at	
	\$3 paid to state	1,930.50
51.	Taxes paid to county	2,838.42
53.	Payments to school	
	district	21,364.66
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	Total payments for all purposes	\$55,943.51
	Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1944	1,738.08
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	Grand Total	\$57,681.59

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town hall, lands and buildings	\$10,000.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
Libraries, lands and buildings	20,000.00
Furniture and equipment	7,500.00
Academy hall, lands and buildings	2,500.00
Equipment	200.00
Fire department, lands and buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	6,000.00
Highway department, lands, buildings and equipment	8,000.00
Materials and supplies	150.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	6,000.00
Water Supply	58,000.00
Schools, lands and buildings	110,000.00
Equipment	21,500.00
Vitty land and buildings	200.00
Carter land, Bradford road	350.00
James E. Carroll property	300.00
Arthur Hall property	100.00
Rogers lot	50.00
Etta Towns lot	300.00
Hattie Davis lot	100.00
 Total	 \$254,750.00

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### DETAIL NO. 1

#### Salary of Officers

Paid—

Forrest W. Dowlin, services of auditors	\$30.00
Stephen C. Bennett, services as selectman	305.00
Harry A. Tucker, estate, services as selectman	32.50
Fred T. Connor, services as selectman	190.00
Charles J. Burnham, services as selectman	357.50
Diamond A. Maxwell, services as town clerk	6.44
Charles H. Tucker, services as deputy town clerk	66.66
William C. Goss, services as tax collector	372.62
William L. Childs, services as town treasurer	150.00
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	\$1,510.72

### DETAIL NO. 2

#### Town Officer's Expenses

Paid—

Forrest W. Dowlin, use of car for auditors	\$3.50
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., supplies	24.92
Assn. of N. H. Assessors, dues two years	4.00



Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., service	9.00
D. A. Maxwell, printing town reports	504.60
D. A. Maxwell, printing and supplies	61.49
Harry B. Preston, expenses as clerk of trustees	52.86
Charles J. Burnham, stamps and supplies	26.13
Katherine A. Crowley, conveyances and recording deeds	19.97
H. L. Holmes & Son, bonds for town officers	60.00
D. A. Maxwell, issuing 352 auto permits	88.00
Mechanicks National Bank, deposit box rent	15.00
W. C. Goss, writing tax book, discharging tax sales, and stamps	26.88
Maude M. Burnham, copying tax and inventory books	35.00
S. C. Bennett, supplies and stamps	2.65
W. L. Childs, postage	3.28
C. J. Burnham, use of car	10.40
C. H. Tucker, issuing 88 auto permits	22.00
C. H. Tucker, certification and supplies	13.07
Vira M. Holmes, list 13 estates	1.30
Wilfred Boisclair, list 2 estates	.20
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	\$984.35

### DETAIL NO. 3

#### Election and Registration

Paid—

Alice V. Flanders, services as supervisor	\$41.00
Fred A. Peaslee, services as supervisor	42.50
Prescott S. Farrar, services as supervisor	25.00
Lester E. Connor, services as moderator	21.00
Lester W. Carnes, services as ballot clerk	15.00
Prescott S. Farrar, services as ballot clerk	5.00
Frank D. Hutchins, services as ballot clerk	15.00
Silas A. Rowe, services as ballot clerk	15.00

Harry L. Holmes, services as ballot clerk	10.00
Martha Twiss, meals for town officers	29.50
D. A. Maxwell, printing checklists	21.50
D. A. Maxwell, printing ballots for town meeting	24.98
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	\$265.48

#### DETAIL NO. 4

##### **Municipal Court**

Paid—

Lewis H. Carpenter, services as judge	\$100.00
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#### DETAIL NO. 5

##### **Town Hall and Other Buildings**

Paid—

W. L. Childs, janitor service	\$77.00
Charles E. Palmer, janitor service	5.00
Guy H. Brill, janitor service	12.50
Elberton E. Farrar, janitor service	
and supplies	44.44
H. L. Holmes & Son, coal	121.24
Fred T. Connor, 1 cord wood	6.00
Barry Patenaude, 1 cord wood	8.00
Cogswell Spring Water Works, water rent	50.00
Roby H. Wood, repairs town hall	53.40
Roby H. Wood, repairs academy hall	26.95
Harry Hatch, sawing wood	1.50
F. L. Chase, supplies	.99
Bear Hill Grange, lights, academy hall	4.80
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	29.72
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	\$441.54

DETAIL NO. 6

**Police Department**

Paid—

Ernest Greenwood, police service	\$65.75
Roby H. Wood, police service	22.30
A. S. Rush, police service	35.00
O. D. Daniels, police service	5.60
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	\$128.65

DETAIL NO. 7

**Fire Department, Including Forest Fires**

Paid—

W. L. Childs, use of car and cash advanced, shoveling hydrants	\$8.70
Leon Cooper, shoveling hydrants	2.10
L. W. Whitney, shoveling hydrants	1.80
E. E. Farrar, shoveling hydrants	9.30
Silas A. Rowe, insuring fire truck	22.44
Roby H. Wood, repairs on indians	1.20
Firemen's Retirement Board, dues 30 men	90.00
A. S. Rush, Carlson fire	1.70
Roby H. Wood, forest fire bills	47.19
R. S. Goss, lettering indians	4.80
State of N. H., lanterns and indians	94.75
W. L. Childs, fire at Cummings	3.10
Roby H. Wood, fire permits	.70
Cogswell Spring Water Works, hydrant rental	1,179.00
W. L. Childs, filling extinguishers	2.50
W. L. Childs, services fire engineers	20.00
General Taylor Engine Co., payroll	90.00
General Taylor Engine Co., services at fires	116.95

General Taylor Engine Co., dues firemen's association	30.00
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	\$1,726.23

#### DETAIL NO. 9

##### Bounties

Paid—	
S. C. Bennett	\$28.00
F. T. Connor	22.50
C. J. Burnham	73.50
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	\$124.00

#### DETAIL NO. 10

##### Damage By Dogs

Paid—	
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., dog tags	\$8.02
Ernest Greenwood, collecting dog tax	14.10
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	\$22.12

#### DETAIL NO. 11

##### Health Department

Paid—	
Henniker Public Health Assn., 1944 appropriation	\$850.00
W. H. Carr, services and expenses as health officer	43.58
Charles E. Palmer, labor at dump	20.00

Clayton F. Goss, labor at dump	48.50
W. L. Childs, fires at dump	5.65
Roby H. Wood, fires at dump	7.80
Robert S. Goss, sign for dump	3.50
Clayton F. Goss, road at dump	67.50
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	\$1,046.53

## DETAIL NO. 12

### Vital Statistics

Paid—

Diamond A. Maxwell, recording births, deaths and marriages	\$16.00
Charles H. Tucker, recording births, deaths and marriages	26.00
Others, reporting births, deaths and marriages	26.00
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	\$68.00

## DETAIL NO. 14

### Class 5 Roads

Paid—

State treasurer, 1944 appropriation	\$461.35
State treasurer, balance due	277.18
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	\$738.53

DETAIL NO. 15

Town Maintenance

Winter Work

CLAYTON F. GOSS, Agent

Paid—

Clayton F. Goss, labor	\$402.60
Clayton F. Goss, for express	9.61
Ernest Carnes, labor and gravel	50.95
John H. Fellows, labor	121.30
Kenneth Ward, labor	30.30
Herman Murdough, labor	83.70
Malcolm McComish, labor	67.60
Philip Homo, labor	32.10
Howard Taylor, labor	28.20
Arnold A. Morse, labor	52.90
Ralph Currier, labor	26.40
Sterling Carmichael, labor	13.10
Harry Robertson, labor	2.40
Shirley Davison, labor	9.70
Clyde Derby, labor	14.40
Frank Goss, labor	13.30
Harry A. Tucker, labor	4.80
Frank Sweatt, labor	2.40
Ellery B. Ayer, man and truck	21.00
P. O. Russell, labor	1.00
B. J. Bishopric, pipe	.75
Kendall Bagley, labor	3.60
N. H. Highway Garage, supplies	3.92
Leonard Whitney, labor	4.80
O. D. Daniels, supplies	6.93
Dell White, sawing wood	2.50
Joseph Clement, labor	1.20
Percy Robertson, labor	6.00

L. P. Buxton, man and truck	26.60
Graydon Clark, labor	16.10
Harold W. Ayer, Jr., labor	16.10
Donald Goss, labor	3.60
Herbert Bailey, labor	3.60
Cedric Derby, labor	3.60
H. L. Holmes & Son, oil	22.32
Sterling Esso Station, gas and oil	86.49
Carrie Bacon, sand	9.45
Emma Knapton, gravel	5.00
Thompson & Hoague, supplies	4.25
C. W. Watson & Son, supplies	68.15
Henniker Battery Station, gas, oil and repairs	162.07
Bradford Garage, welding	25.00
C. W. Rowe, gas, oil and repairs	18.08
Carpenter Socony Station, gas and oil	76.92
Total Winter Work	<hr/> \$1,558.63

### Summer Work

CLAYTON F. GOSS, Agent

Paid—

Clayton F. Goss, agent	\$867.00
Clayton F. Goss, parts and express	7.67
John H. Fellows, labor	561.30
Ernest Carnes, labor	541.30
Howard Taylor, labor	581.20
Kenneth Ward, labor	7.20
Philip Homo, labor	324.70
Herman Murdough, labor	191.60
Malcolm McComish, labor	10.80
Harry Robertson, labor	17.80
Elwin Palmer, labor	5.40
Leonard Buxton, man and truck	23.60
Warren Ricker, man and team	60.00



Raymond Peasley, labor	5.40
Donald Goss, labor	7.80
Cedric Derby, labor	12.60
Tom Fisher, labor	12.60
Walter Watkins, labor	7.20
Harold Tucker, man and truck	25.20
State Highway Garage, supplies	18.82
State Highway Department, gravel	2.50
Clyde Derby, labor	7.20
Berry Patenaude, labor	37.80
Alfred French, mowing machine	10.00
Samuel H. Ray, blade	31.24
M. W. Carnes, welding	10.85
Fred T. Connor, wood	10.00
Batchelder & Cressey, hinge	5.00
Upton & Whitcomb, lumber	166.50
William E. Bedders, shovel and truck	397.60
Coolidge & Edmons, supplies	40.32
Concord Brick Co., supplies	26.47
R. C. Hazelton, parts	6.50
N. H. Explosive Co., blades and supplies	64.06
P. I. Perkins Co., repairs, grader	49.24
H. L. Holmes & Son, oil	84.53
C. W. Watson & Son, parts	25.10
Henniker Battery Station, gas, oil and repairs	238.45
Bradford Garage, welding	13.00
Carpenter's Socony Station, gas and oil	26.71
C. W. Rowe, gas, oil and repairs	36.42
John Morris, labor	5.40
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Total Summer work	\$4,692.39
Total Winter work	1,558.63
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Total Summer and Winter work	\$6,251.02
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Town Appropriation	\$4,000.00



## DETAIL NO. 16

### Street Lighting

Paid—

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$1,129.07
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## DETAIL NO. 17

### General Expenses on Highway

Paid—

William Gardner, shoveling sidewalks	\$1.85
Coolidge & Edmunds, supplies	4.92
S. A. Rowe, insurance on truck	28.49
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	99.90
C. W. Rowe, two speed diff., labor, gas and repairs	297.96
H. L. Holmes & Son, insurance on grader	23.80
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, cement and salt	401.30
Municipal Steel Co., repairs for snow plows	117.45
B. & M. R.R. Co., freight	10.67
F. L. Chase, supplies	4.01
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	\$990.35

## DETAIL NO. 18

### Libraries

Paid—

Tucker Free Library, 1944 appropriation	\$178.00
Silas A. Rowe, insuring library	45.00
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	\$223.00

DETAIL NOS. 19, 20, 21

Paid—

Old age assistance	\$1,162.72
Town poor	24.00
Poor from Constantine fund	13.81
County poor	8.00

DETAIL NO. 22

**Memorial Day**

Paid—

Memorial Day committee	\$100.00
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DETAIL NO. 24

**Parks and Playgrounds**

Paid—

Public Service Co. of N. H., light at Woodman Park	\$14.63
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DETAIL NO. 27

**Cemeteries Including Hearse Hire**

Paid—

H. L. Holmes & Son, hearse hire	\$90.00
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DETAIL NO. 29

**Taxes Paid By Town**

Paid—

W. C. Goss, tax on creamery building	\$4.60
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# DETAIL NOS. 31 AND 32

## Interest Payments

Paid—

N. H. Savings Bank	\$51.18
Harry A. Tucker Estate	17.50
Bernice F. Childs	17.50
William L. Childs	17.50
Abbie R. Flanders	17.50
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	\$121.18

# DETAIL NO. 36

## War Emergency

Paid—

Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., telephone at post	\$15.28
John B. Varick Co., service flag and numerals	15.44
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	\$30.72

Balance on hand Feb. 1944	\$106.26
Expended	30.72
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Unexpended Jan. 1, 1945	\$75.54

# DETAIL NO. 44

## Temporary Loans

Paid—

N. H. Savings Bank	\$11,000.00
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## DETAIL NO. 45

### Term Notes

Paid—

W. L. Childs, payment on Note 90	\$250.00
Bernice F. Childs, payment on Note 89	250.00
Harry A. Tucker, estate, payment on Note 88	250.00
Abbie R. Flanders, balance on Note 85	500.00
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	\$1,250.00

## DETAIL NO. 50

### Payment To Other Government Divisions

Paid—

County treasurer, county tax	\$2,838.42
State of N. H., \$3 poll tax	1,930.50
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	\$4,768.92

## DETAIL NO. 52

### Henniker School Board

Paid—

Dog Tax, 1943	\$368.66
Balance of 1943 appropriation	7,996.00
Part of 1944 appropriation	13,000.00
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	\$21,364.66

**REPORT OF**  
**HENNIKER PUBLIC HEALTH**  
**NURSING SERVICE**



To the Selectmen and Citizens:

I hereby submit my annual report covering the period from January 31, 1944 to January 1, 1945.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Mr. Silas A. Rowe, President  
Rev. W. S. Stowell, Vice President  
Miss Alice Eastman, Secretary  
Mr. Charles Burnham, Treasurer.

**ADVISORY BOARD**

Rev. John L. Clark  
Dr. A. M. Fernald  
Mrs. E. W. Gillander  
Mrs. Mary N. Cox  
Mr. George M. Chase  
Mrs. Robert Goss  
Mrs. Merton Lake

**GENERAL VISITING SERVICE**

1326 Visits to give bedside care (general type)  
198 Instructive visits.  
22 Prenatal visits

- 18 New born visits (under 1 mo.)
- 46 Patients taken to Concord Hospitals (in nurses car)
- 3 Patients accompanied to Concord Hospitals (in ambulance)
- 5 Patients taken to Dr. Gillander's office
- 4 Patients taken to Dr. Olson's office at Hillsboro
- 12 Patients taken to Dr. Baldwin's office at Hillsboro.
- 23 Hours spent on Sunday calls

### SCHOOL NURSING

Pupils examined by Dr. Gillander	216
Pupils receiving the vollmer tuberculin patch test	36

The following conditions were found as a result:

Negative reactions	36	Positive reactions	0
Defective visions	26	Corrections	19
Diseased tonsils	30	Corrections	29
Heart murmurs	19	Corrections	0
Chronic appendix	5	Corrections	0
Pediculosis	13	Corrections	13
Dressings done at school			68
Follow up visits to homes			23

No communicable diseases.

A successful dental clinic was held in the Cogswell Memorial School, by Dr. J. Harvey Grimes during the months of April and May, 1944.

Pupils having all work completed	151
Pupils having all work done elsewhere	19
Pupils having no work done	22

Pupils having no work required	16
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	208

The hearing of pupils and teachers, was tested by audiometer, February 28, 29 and March 1, 1944.

Results were:

Teachers tested	6
Retest	1
Pupils tested	197
Retest	23
Hearing loss, right ear	1
Hearing loss, left ear	1
Hearing loss both ears	0

Our dental clinic for 1945, is being held at this time by Dr. Grimes, at the Cogswell Memorial School.

In conclusion, I should like to thank the citizens, teachers, Nursing Committee, School Board, Doctors, and Mr. Sinclair for their cooperation, during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAE A. MAILLETTE, R. N.,

Public Health Nurse.

## REPORT OF TOWN TRUST FUNDS

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### REPORT OF CURRENT INCOME AND EXPENDITURES BY TRUSTEES

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#### GEORGE W. TUCKER MEMORIAL FUND

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##### Receipts

Proceeds U. S. $3\frac{1}{4}\%$ Bond, called April 15	\$1,000.00
Income Town Note No. 94	183.75
Income U. S. Bond $3\frac{1}{4}\%$	16.25
Income U. S. $4\frac{1}{4}\%$ Bond	212.50
U. S. Power Ass'n. stock	6.00
Atlanta, Burmingham & Coast R.R. stock	15.00
Tampa & No. R.R. Co. Bond	362.49
Income U. S. Bond $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ '65—'70	5.50
Savings Bank Income:	
Loan and Trust, Book No. 21585	64.84
Franklin, Book No. 36396	45.52
Tampa & No. Bonds, called Dec. 1	3,000.00
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	\$4,911.85



### Payments

Mechanicks Nat. Bank for 2½ % U.S. Bond	\$1,000.00
Treasurer, Tucker Free Library, income	909.81
Mechanicks Nat. Bank, expense on called bonds	2.04
Mechanicks Nat. Bank, for 3M. U.S. "G" Bonds	3,000.00
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	\$4,911.85

### D. Warren and Eliza L. Cogswell Fund

#### Receipts

Income, U. S. 2 7-8 % Bonds	\$86.25
Income, Brown Co. Bonds	150.00
Interest, Town Notes, 1, 2, 3, 84	700.00
Withdrawn from Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank, Book No. 12162	5,000.00
Interest on above	114.08
Withdrawn from Franklin Savings Bank Book No. 29789	4,000.00
Interest on above	22.60
For 6M. U.S. 2 7-8 % Bonds '55—'60 From J. & H. F. Straw Fund	6,000.00
Income Loan & Trust Savings Bank Book No. 39666	.34
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	\$16,073.27

#### Payments

Tr. Town of Henniker, for Water Works Note, dated Aug. 1, 1944	\$15,000.00
Tr. Henniker School Dist. 70 %	698.56

Tr. Henniker Cemetery Ass'n. 10 %	99.79
Tr. Tucker Free Library, 10 %	99.79
Trustees Trust Funds, for parks 10 %	99.79
Balance available Dec. 31, 1944	75.34
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	\$16,073.27

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### James and Hannah F. Straw Fund

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#### Receipts

From 10 M. U. S. Treasury 3¼ % Bonds called April 15, 1944	\$10,000.00
Income from U. S. 3¼ % Bonds	162.50
Income from U. S. 2 7-8 % Coupon Bonds	273.13
Income from U. S. 2 7-8 % Reg. Bonds	86.25
Income from U. S. 2½ % Victory Bonds	22.00
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	\$10,543.88

#### Payments

To D. W. and E. L. Cogswell fund, for 6M. U.S. 2 7-8 % Bonds '55—'60	\$6,000.00
Mechanicks National Bank for 4M. U.S. Victory Bonds (coupon) 2½ % '65—'70	4,000.00
Treas. Henniker Cemetery Ass'n, income for 1944	543.37
Mechanicks Nat. Bank, expense on called bonds	.51
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	\$10,543.88

## Cemetery Trust Funds

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### Receipts

Feb. 1, 1944, cash on hand	\$504.24
Withdrawn from Merrimack Co. Savings Bank, Book No. 35420	1,000.00
Income, U. S. 4¼ % Bonds	29.75
Income, U. S. "G" Bonds	87.50
Mrs. Fred A. Leavitt, for Trust fund	150.00
Herbert W. Rice for Webster Family Trust	50.00
Mrs. Herbert C. Hoyt, for Trust fund	50.00
Income, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book No. 14382	160.32
Income Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank, Book No. 8298	4.09
Income, Franklin Savings Bank, Book No. 36795	31.10
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	\$2,067.00

### Payments

Deposited in Mechanics Savings Bank, Book No. 14382 Leavitt, Webster and Hoyt funds	\$250.00
Mechanicks National Bank for U.S. "G" Bond, No. M2388652	1,000.00
Henniker Cemetery Ass'n. for care lots, 1944:	
New Cemetery	262.79
Old and Goss Yards	92.50
Plummer and Friends Yards	48.87
Balance available, Dec. 31, 1944	412.84
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	\$2,067.00

Note—Income accumulated and payable on and

Henniker 8.

after Jan. 1, 1945, is in excess of requirements to cover amount credited to lots, for 1945, in Table Summary.

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**George H. Dodge Memorial Fund**

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Receipts

Income U.S. Bond 4½ %	\$21.25
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Payments

William L. Childs, school district treasurer	\$21.25
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**Leander A. Cogswell Athletic Field Fund**

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Receipts

Feb. 1, balance available	\$173.56
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Payments

E. E. Farrar, labor and cash advanced	\$102.21
Chas. E. Palmer, labor	8.40
J. F. Pickering	11.30
F. F. Leaf, repairing mowers	8.00
C. L. Ridley, Jr.	4.80
F. L. Chase, supplies	1.15
Service charge on checks	.62
Balance available, Dec. 31, 1944	37.08

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\$173.56

### Leander A. Cogswell Park Fund

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#### Receipts

Feb. 1, 1944, balance available	\$132.94
Income D. W. & E. L. Cogswell fund, 10 %	99.79
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	\$232.73

#### Payments

Elwin F. Palmer, labor	\$37.00
F. F. Leaf, repairing mowers	5.50
E. E. Farrar, labor	145.70
J. C. Richardson, labor	4.80
J. Clement, labor	2.40
J. F. Pickering, labor	10.40
Service on checks	.90
Balance available, Dec. 31, 1944	26.03
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	\$232.73

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### Leander A. Cogswell, Azalea Park Fund

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#### Receipts

Feb. 1, 1944, balance available	\$166.74
Income, Franklin Savings Bank, Book No. 30409	100.34
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	\$267.08

#### Payments

Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	\$50.00
E. E. Farrar, labor	19.55

J. F. Pickering, labor	1.20
F. F. Leaf, repairing mowers	2.75
Service charge on checks	.60
Balance available, Dec. 31, 1944	192.98
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	\$267.08

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**Leander A. Cogswell New High School Fund**

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Receipts

Income U.S. Defense Bonds, 2½ %	\$50.00
Balance available, Dec. 31, 1944	\$50.00

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**Frank J. Constantine Town Relief Fund**

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Receipts

Cheshire Co. Savings Bank, Book No. 26473, one-half annual income	\$13.98
Payments	
William L. Childs, town treasurer	\$13.98

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**Proctor Memorial Fund**

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Receipts

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1944	\$3.70
Income, Loan & Trust Savings Bank,	

Book No. 37391	100.84
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	\$104.54
Payments	
O. D. Daniels, care of fountain	\$1.75
Dec. 31, balance available	102.79
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	\$104.54

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### Leander A. Cogswell Library Fund

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Receipts	
Income 1944, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book No. 15086	\$75.77
Payments	
Treasurer Tucker Free Library	\$75.77

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### James R. Straw Town Fund

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Receipts	
Annual Income, Bonds:—	
U.S. 3 1-8 % '49—'52	\$718.75
U.S. 3 % '40—'48	690.00
U.S. 2 7-8 % '55—'60	805.00
U.S. 2½ % '64—'69	525.00
Hillsboro County 3 %	60.00
Mechanicks Savings Bank, Book No. 18649	8.01
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	\$2,806.76



Payments	
William L. Childs, town treasurer	\$2,806.76

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**Alice V. Colby Library Fund**

Receipts	
Income, Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank, Book No. 12904	\$6.07
Payments	
Treas. Tucker Free Library	\$6.07

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**A. D. Huntoon Memorial Fund**

Receipts	
Income, Mechanics Savings Bank, Book No. 18637	\$25.15
Payments	
Treas. Tucker Free Library	\$25.15

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**SUMMARY OF AVAILABLE BALANCES**

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December 31, 1944

Cemetery funds	\$412.84
Proctor Family fund	102.79
Athletic field fund	37.08
Azalea Park fund	192.98
Cogswell Park fund	26.03
D. W. and E. L. Cogswell fund	75.34
Cogswell New High School fund	50.00
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	\$897.06



## TOWN TRUST FUNDS

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REPORT OF H. B. PRESTON, CLERK,  
For The Eleven Months, Ending December, 31, 1944

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### JAMES AND HANNAH F. STRAW FUND

James R. Straw, Donor. Fund Created June 19, 1922

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Invested as follows:

	Principal	Income
10M. U.S. Treasury (Reg.) '44		
—'46 3¼ % No. 3175E		
Called April 15, 1944		\$162.50
U. S. Treasury (Coupon) '55—		
'60 2 7-8 % No. 40907H,		
285905E, 311744D, 311007A,		
311745E, 24053C	\$9,500.00	273.13
6M. U.S. Treasury, (Reg.) '55		
—'60 2 7-8 % No. 31763F,		
31737H, 31738J, 31739K,		
31740L, 31741A	6,000.00	86.25
4M. U.S. Victory 2½ % '65—		
'70 No. 391181A, 391182B,		
391183C, 391184D	4,000.00	22.00
(Purchased June 26, 1944)		

Merrimack County Savings Bank,  
Book No. 35736

500.00

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\$20,000.00 \$543.88

The income of this fund was paid to the treasurer of the Henniker Cemetery Ass'n., to be expended on North side, New Cemetery.

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**GEORGE H. DODGE FUND**

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Ada M. Dodge, Donor. Fund Created May 1, 1923

How Invested:—

	Principal	Income
U.S. Treasury Bond $4\frac{1}{4}\%$		
No. C00006303	\$500.00	\$21.25

Income paid annually to Treas. Henniker School District for attendance prizes.

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS



(Various donors for care of lots in local cemeteries;

See following table)

Invested as follows:—

	Principal	Income
Bonds:		
U.S. Treasury Notes 4¼ % '47		
—'52, No. E00005955,		
E00008975, C00063023	\$700.00	\$29.75
U. S. Defense Bonds of '43, series		
“G” No. M16369961, M1636997,		
M1636998	3,000.00	75.00
U.S. Victory Bonds of '44, series		
“G” No. M2388652	1,000.00	12.50
Savings Banks:		
New Hampshire, Book No.		
104747, 2 %	500.00	
Amoskeag, Book No.		
207148, 2½ %	2,000.00	
Merrimack Co., Book No.		
35420, 2 %	455.03	
Union Trust Co., Book No.		
23491, 2 %	500.00	
Mechanicks, Book No.		
14382, 2½ %	6,540.00	160.32
Hillsboro Guaranty, Book		
No. 8298, 2 %	200.00	4.09
Franklin, Book No. 36795, 2 %	1,550.00	31.10
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$16,445.03</b>	<b>\$312.76</b>

# Cemetery Trust Funds, Expended as follows:

Name of Fund	Amount of Fund	Available for Care in 1944	Spent in 1944	Annual Income	Available for Care in 1945	Location of Lot
Albert C. Clark	\$100 00	\$3 00	\$2 50	\$2 50	\$3 00	New
Nathan Carter	100 00	3 25	2 50	2 50	3 25	New
Mark Dustin	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Addie F. Cogswell	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Sarah P. Richardson	250 00	7 75	6 00	6 25	8 00	New
Jennie F. Nutter	75 00	1 87	1 87	1 88	1 88	New
Nahum Newton	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Fannie M. Whitcomb	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Fidelia H. Carter	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Edwin B. Howe	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
William D. Harwood	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Georgianna Patterson	200 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	New
Sarah W. Pillsbury	150 00	4 50	4 50	3 75	3 75	New
Levi S. Connor	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Warren Sanborn	70 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75	New
Seth W. Straw	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Mercie B. Bacon	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Almeda Felch	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
R. M. Dowlin	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Levi C. Newton	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Josephine S. Colby	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Franklin C. Goss	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	New
George A. Eastman	200 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	New
Jannette C. Allison	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	New
Fannie M. Whitcomb	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
John H. Savage	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Zadok Dustin	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Frank A. Connor	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Edgar M. Clough	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Henry E. Merrick	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Betsey J. Colby	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Chas. L. Matthews	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Aima Poor Shepherd	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Geo. R. McAllister	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Alilian C. Wheeler	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
William F. Raymond	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Joseph H. Wescomb	150 00	4 75	4 00	3 75	4 50	New
Ada C. Dodge	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
J. Madison Colby	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Albert M. Chase	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
James B. Phillips	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Lizzie H. Andrews	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Hattie M. Chase	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Hattie M. Chase						
(Follansbee Lot)	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Samuel K. Page	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Eva M. Barnes	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
William F. Flanders	100 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Ellon R. Bacon	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Amie L. Bacon	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Charles E. Favor	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Ella P. Manchester	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Andrew P. Favor	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Lilla J. Howe	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Mary C. Eaton	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Sarah M. Childs	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
F. H. and E. R. Straw	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Georgia R. Witherill	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Hattie W. Messer	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New

# Cemetery Trust Funds, Expended as follows:

Name of Fund	Amount of Fund	Available for Care in 1944	Spent in 1944	Annual Income	Available for Care in 1945	Location of Lot
George C. Preston	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Frank J. Peabody	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Mary Favor	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Ira Connor	70 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75	New
Rev. C. T. Matthews	70 00	1 75	1 75	1 75	1 75	New
Ida O. Atkinson	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
William H. Bean	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
George F. Drew	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Charles H. Corser	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Thomas W. Sargent	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Harrison Colby	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
John Brady	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Albert E. Choate	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Edward B. Lawrence	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Charles W. Martin	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
George W. Rice	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
James G. Rice	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Jacob Rice	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Edward G. Flanders	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Fred W. Shelton	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
H. F. and A. F. Corser	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Jacob Gordon	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Lillian F. Hale	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
John H. Falvey	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
Bowen Family	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Fitz H. Corser	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Whittemore-Currier	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Blon E. Gale	75 00	1 87	1 87	1 88	1 88	New
John H. Brown	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	New
A. D. Huntoon	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	New
Myron J. Presby	75 00	1 87	1 87	1 88	1 88	New
Ida M. Barnes	300 00	11 25	7 50	7 50	11 25	New
S. Q. A. Newton	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Amie L. Bacon	(Additional)	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Heman D. Patterson	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
George P. Farrar	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Clark-Olenek	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Edward B. Wallace	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Wells Davis	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Julia A. Lewis	200 00	6 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	New
A. M. Ingersoll	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Daniel Cate	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
Willis Robbins	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	New
E. C. Steel	5 03	15		15	30	New
W. O. and J. F. Flanders	200 00	5 11	4 11	5 00	6 00	New
M. Eliz. Whitcomb	100 00	2 10	2 10	2 50	2 50	New
Walter A. Connor	200 00	2 90	2 90	5 00	5 00	New
Mary L. Wiggin	100 00	1 45	1 45	2 50	2 50	New
George A. Colby	100 00	62	62	2 50	2 50	New
Fred A. Leavitt	150 00			3 75	3 75	New
Fred N. Webster	50 00			42	42	New
Herbert C. Hoyt	50 00			42	42	New
Edna Dean Proctor	200 00	5 50	5 00	5 00	5 50	Old
Almira Cook	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Old
Sarah M. Morse	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	Old
Mary C. Wardsworth	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Old
Rufus T. Howe	200 00	5 50	5 00	5 00	5 50	Old
George W. Tucker	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	Old



# Cemetery Trust Funds, Expended as follows:

Name of Fund	Amount of Fund	Available for Care in 1944	Spent in 1944	Annual Income	Available for Care in 1945	Location of Lot
Mary S. Cogswell	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	Old
Charles Bowman	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Old
Georgianna Patterson	200 00	6 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	Old
Elizabeth P. Gove	200 00	25 00	10 00	5 00	20 00	Old
Margaret Douglass	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	Old
Mary Marsh	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	Old
E. C. and L. I. Black	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	Old
C. and J. H. George	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	Old
E. and E. Hemphill	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	Old
Joshua Darling	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	Old
Moses J. Brown	100 00	3 50	2 50	2 50	3 50	Old
Wallace Family	150 00	8 75	5 00	3 75	7 50	Old
William H. Gillmore	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Old
J. Willis Plummer	100 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	Old
William Osborne	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Old
Levi Colby Family	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Old
Jessie M. Fisher	500 00	16 25	12 50	12 50	16 25	Old
Julia A. Lewis	200 00	6 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	Old
Lucy S. Connor	200 00	6 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	Goss
Levi S. Connor	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	Goss
John M. Chase	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	Goss
George W. Plummer	200 00	7 00	5 00	5 00	7 00	Plum.
Cowdry Fund	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Plum.
Ira Plummer	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Plum.
Parker P. Patch	80 25	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	Plum.
Betsey Flanders	100 00	3 00	2 50	2 50	3 00	Plum.
Almus W. Morse	200 00	7 00	5 00	5 00	7 00	Plum.
Addie I. Stevens	700 00	22 50	20 00	17 50	20 00	Plum.
George H. Dodge	75 00	1 87	1 87	1 88	1 88	Plum.
James H. Flanders	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Plum.
Grant Brown	50 00	1 25	1 25	1 25	1 25	Plum.
Willia G. Buxton	300 00	10 00	7 50	7 50	10 00	Friends
Totals	\$16 295 29	\$486 61	\$404 16	\$405 76	\$488 41	

# SUMMARY OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

## TABLE PAGES

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Total funds drawing interest		\$16,445.03
Total funds upon which interest is paid for care of lots	\$16,295.29	
Gain on purchase of Liberty Bonds	149.74	
	<hr/>	\$16,445.03
Balance to spend in 1944 as per table	\$486.81	
Annual income credited to individual lots, at 2½ %	405.76	
	<hr/>	\$892.57
Paid for care of lots in 1944	\$404.16	
Available for care in 1945	488.41	
	<hr/>	\$892.57

## AZALEA PARK FUND

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(Leander A. Cogswell, Donor, Fund Created  
August 20, 1929)

Invested as follows:—

	Principal	Income
Franklin Savings Bank, Book No. 30490, 2%	\$5,000.00	\$100.34

Income expended annually by Trustees Trust  
Funds. See report of treasurer.

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## ATHLETIC FIELD FUND

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Invested as follows:—

	Principal	Income
Amoskeag Savings Bank, Book No. 175560, 2½%	\$5,000.00	

Income, available after Jan. 1, expended by Trustees Trust Funds. See Report of Treasurer.



## D. WARREN AND ELILZA L. COGSWELL FUND

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(Leander A. Cogswell, Donor. Fund Created  
March 10, 1920)

Invested as follows:—

### NOTES AND BONDS

	Principal	Income
Town of Henniker, Water Works, Notes No. 1, 2, 3, 84, 4%	\$35,000.00	\$700.00
Town of Henniker Water Works, Note No. 3, dated Aug. 1, 1944, 4%	15,000.00	
6M. U.S. Treasury 2 7-8 % '55—'60 No. 31736F, 31737H, 31738J, 31739K, 31740L, 31741A. Transferred for cash to J. & H. F. Straw fund, April 15, 1944		86.25
Brown Co., (New issue) \$3,000.00 par Gen. Mortgage A. 5 % No. Rz6050; 32 shares \$6 pfd. stock No. B2116; 140 shares Common No. B5186: 30-40 share script, pfd stock. Estimated value of unit	3,000.00	150.00

## SAVINGS BANK

(all 2%)

Loan and Trust Book		
No. 39666	17.50	.34
Merrimack Co., Book No.		
25391	49.02	
Franklin, Book 29789		
\$4,000.00 withdrawn, July		
8, 1944		22.60
Hillsboro Guaranty, Book		
No. 12162 \$5,000.00 with-		
drawn July 8, 1944		114.08
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	\$53,066.52	\$1,073.27

From the income of this fund in 1944 there was distributed:—

70 % for schools	\$698.56
10 % for parks	99.79
10 % for Tucker Library	99.79
10 % for cemeteries	99.79
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	\$997.93

## JAMES R. STRAW FUND

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(James R. Straw, Donor, Fund Created Oct. 15, 1935)

Invested as follows:—

U. S. Government Bonds (all coupon)		
	Principal	Income
23M. 3 1-8 % '49—'52. No.		
22449K, 22450L, 25023C,		
25024D, 25025E	\$23,000.00	\$718.75

23M. 3 % '40—'48 No. 11302B, 15194D, 29964D, 29965E, 11333C	\$23,000.00	690.00
28M. 2 7-8 % '55—'60 No. 17505E, 123C, 40973C, 291508J, 291509K, 291510L, 291511A, 291382B, 291317H, 40679K, 6678J	28,000.00	805.00
21M. 2 ½ % '64—'69 No. 16884D, 16885E, 113395E	21,000.00	525.00
Hillsboro County Bonds:—		
4M. Founding 3 % No. 591, 592, 593, 594	4,000.00	60.00
Savings Banks: New Hampshire, Book No. 105009	500.00	
Mechanicks, Book No. 18649	318.28	8.01
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	\$99,818.28	\$2,806.76

The income of this fund (\$2,806.76) was paid to the treasurer of the Town of Henniker.

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## ALICE V. COLBY LIBRARY FUND

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(Alice V. Colby, Donor. Fund Created March 26, 1938 for benefit of Tucker Free Library)

How Invested:—

	Principal	Income
Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank, Book No. 12904	\$300.00	\$6.07

The income of this fund was paid to the treasurer of Tucker Free Library.

## JOHN PROCTOR AND PROCTOR FAMILY MEMORIAL FUND

(Edna Dean Proctor, Donor. Fund Created  
February 2, 1925)

How Invested:—

Savings Banks:

	Principal	Income
New Hampshire, Book No. 84198, 2%	\$5,000.00	
Loan and Trust, Book No. 37391, 2%	5,000.00	\$100.84
Manchester, Book No. 140072, 2½%	5,000.00	
Amoskeag, Book No. 159535, 2½%	5,000.00	
	\$20,000.00	\$100.84

## A. D. HUNTOON MEMORIAL FUND

(Eva W. Huntoon, Donor. Fund Created Sept. 2,  
1943. Income for the purchase of books  
for Tucker Free Library)

How Invested:—

	Principal	Income
Mechanicks Savings Bank, Book No. 18637, 2½%	\$1,000.00	\$25.15
Income paid to Treasurer Tucker Free Library, for purposes of the Trust.		

# FRANK J. CONSTANTINE FUND

(Frank J. Constantine, Donor. Fund Created October 3, 1935)

How Invested:	Principal	Income	Value Dec. 31, 1944
Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26473	\$1,000.00	\$27.96	\$1,126.04

One-half the annual income (\$13.98) of this fund was paid to the Town of Henniker, for purposes of the trust. One-half added to the principal.

# LEANDER A. COGSWELL LIBRARY FUND

(Leander A. Cogswell, Donor. Fund Created Sept. 14, 1929)

Invested as Follows:	Principal	Income
SAVINGS BANKS		
New Hampshire, Book No. 93429, 2 %	\$4,570.65	
Amoskeag, Book No. 186364, 2½ %	2,429.35	
Mechanicks, Book No. 15086, 2½ %	3,000.00	\$75.77
	\$10,000.00	\$75.77

The income of this fund for 1944 (\$75.77) was paid to the Treasurer of the Tucker Free Library.

**LEANDER A. COGSWELL SCHOOL FUND**  
(Leander A. Cogswell, Donor. Fund Created April 25, 1931)

How Invested:	Principal	1944 Income	Value Dec. 31, 1944
SAVINGS BANKS:			
Loan & Trust, Book No. 42398, 2%	\$3,000.00	\$62.03	\$3,080.65
New Hampshire, Book No. 97207, 2%	5,000.00		5,593.04
Merrimack Co., Book No. 33743, 2%	5,000.00		5,617.25
Manchester, Book No. 159870, 2½%	5,000.00		6,345.85
Amoskeag, Book No. 188370, 2½%	5,000.00	142.64	6,345.86
Mechanics, Book No. 15964, 2½%	5,000.00	133.12	5,813.60
Cheshire Co., Book No. 22636, 2%	5,000.00		5,425.00
U. S. DEFENSE BONDS			
Series "G" NoN. M.1636999, M.1637000, 2½%	2,000.00	50.00	2,000.00
	\$35,000.00	\$387.79	\$40,101.66

# GEORGE W. TUCKER LIBRARY FUND

(George W. Tucker, Donor. Fund Created March 10, 1903)

Invested as Follows:	Income 1944	Book Value Dec. 31, 1944
BONDS AND NOTES		
5M. U. S. Treasury, '47—'52 No. K00001860, 4 1/4 %	\$212.50	\$5,000.00
1M. U. S. Treasury, '44—'52, No. 45936F, 3 1/4 % called April 15, 1944	16.25	
3M. Tampa & No. R.R. Co. '36 No. A768, A387, A1085 (stamped) 5 % *		
Called Dec. 1, 1944	362.49	
Town of Henniker, Note No. 94	183.75	6,125.00
1M. U. S. Treasury, '65—'70 2 1/2 %	5.50	1,000.00
3M. U. S. Victory, "G" (Purchased Dec. 30, 1944)		3,000.00
STOCKS		
27 Shares B. & M. R. R. Class C, No. T2168		50.00
3 Shares B. & M. R. R. Pr. Pfd. No. T02694		75.00



6 Shares Atlanta, Birmingham, & Coast R.R. No. P01042, 5%	15.00	500.00
2 Shares N.E. Power Ass'n. Pfd. No. 01197	6.00	175.00
Total Stocks and Bonds	\$801.49	\$15,925.00
*—and arrears.		

SAVINGS BANKS		
Manchester, Book No. 119711, 2½%	64.84	2,552.32
Loan and Trust, Book No. 21585, 2%		3,242.55
Amoskeag, Book No. 137478, 2½%		3,466.21
New Hampshire, Book No. 50336, 2%		2,470.92
New Hampshire, Book No. 102700, 2%		3,554.86
Union Trust Co., Book No. 9746, 2%		2,682.73
Merrimack Co., Book No. 26777, 2%		2,620.41
Franklin, Book No. 36396, 2%	45.52	2,276.22
Total Savings Banks	\$110.36	\$22,866.22
Grand Total	\$911.85	\$38,791.22

Net income paid to the Treasurer of Tucker Free Library.

## SUMMARY OF BOOK VALUE OF TRUST FUNDS

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December 31, 1944

Straw, James and Hannah F. Fund	\$20,000.00
Straw, James R. Town Fund	99,818.28
Dodge, George H. Fund	500.00
Proctor Family Fund	20,000.00
Cogswell, D. W. and E. L. Fund	53,066.52
Cemetery Funds	16,445.03
Tucker Library Fund	38,791.22
Cogswell, L. A., Azalea Park Fund	5,000.00
Cogswell, L. A., Athletic Field Fund	5,000.00
Cogswell, L. A., Library Fund	10,000.00
Cogswell, L. A., High School Fund	40,101.66
Constantine, F. J., Fund	1,126.04
Colby, Alice V., Library Fund	300.00
Huntoon, A. D., Memorial Fund	1,000.00
Total	<hr/> \$311,148.75

**REPORT OF H. B. PRESTON  
TREASURER, HENNIKER CEMETERY ASS'N.  
ON ACCOUNT STRAW FUND**

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**For The Eleven Months Ending Dec. 31, 1944**

Receipts

Feb. 1, 1944, cash on hand	\$371.04
Trustees Trust Funds, 1944 income from	
James and Hannah F. Straw Fund	543.37
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	\$914.41

Payments

Elwin F. Palmer, labor	\$221.10
Leon O. Cooper, labor	144.30
Charles E. Palmer, labor	79.50
Charles Ridley, Jr., labor	18.40
E. E. Farrar, labor	8.35
F. F. Leaf, repairing mowers	8.00
Cogswell Spring Water Co., water rent	13.00
Mrs. E. W. Coombs, flowers	36.50
Service charge on checking account	.30
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1944	384.96
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	\$914.41

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS 1944

For labor	\$471.65
Plants and flowers	36.50
Repairing mowers	8.00
Water rent	13.00
Service charge on checks	.30
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	\$529.45

There is deposited from unexpended balances of this fund in Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank, Book No. 11476 the sum of \$630.77 to the order of Henniker Cemetery Ass'n.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Harry B. Preston, Treasurer, Henniker Cemetery Association, Straw Fund, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
LESTER E. CONNOR,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,

Henniker, N. H., Jan. 13, 1945

Auditors.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

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For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944

Number of vols. on shelves at the end of last year	11,775
Number of vols. added by gift and purchase	175
Number of vols. lost	3
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Total number of books at end of this year	11,947

### FINES

Amount on hand	\$3.30
Amount collected for year	24.90
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	\$28.20
Expended	\$23.60
Amount on hand	4.60
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	\$28.20

### CIRCULATION

Juvenile	3,043
Fiction	5,233
Non-fiction	1,001
Magazines	2,424
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	11,701

List of magazines for circulation and for Reading Room Table—

American Girl	Country Gentleman
American Home	Red Book
Atlantic	Woman's Home
Boy's Life	Companion
Child Life	Our Dumb Animals (gift)
Etude	Read Magazine (gift)
Harper's	Christian Science Monitor
Jack and Jill	Weekly mag. number
Ladies Home Journal	(gift)
Life	Humane Review (gift)
McCall's	N. H. Troubadour (gift)
Nature	Polish Review (gift)
Outdoor Life	Soviet Russia (gift)
Popular Mechanics	Belgium (gift)
Readers Digest	The Netherlands (gift)
Readers Scope	Nations Business (gift)
Saturday Evening Post	Army Life-U.S. Army Re-
Sunshine Magazine	cruiting News (gift)
American	American Legion (gift)
Colliers	Pathfinder (gift)
Cosmopolitan	Henniker Courier
Good Housekeeping	Living Tissue (gift)

We have had several collections of books given us by the following friends:

Perley C. Thomas	Mrs. Norman Greenly
G. W. Chappell	Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kelley
W. R. Hills	Mrs. C. A. Vincent

The varied classes and types of the books contained in this collection of books made them available for many uses, as the givers kindly gave us permission to use our own judgment in the use of them.

Many were duplicates of what we already have and we replaced the worn copies on the shelves with these in better condition. Some were more suitable for use in the school and we were able to pass them on and help out there, another use we were able to put them to was to send several boxes to the American Merchant Marine for which we received grateful acknowledgement. We are very grateful for the opportunity to place this assortment of books where they would be very much appreciated and we take this way of saying "thank you" to each and every one who have contributed, whether book or magazine—

Mrs. G. H. Fitts of Framingham, Mass., gave us a year's subscription to the "Humane Review" also a book of biography, "The Dr. Mayos."

Mrs. Willis Cogswell, A copy of the Eleventh Regiment N. H. Volunteers.

Mrs. Mae Gibson, Sutton, N. H., a framed picture of Rebecca Ramsdell at the age of 103 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Courser, a picture of the old "Buxton Block" taken about 60 years ago.

Miss Bissell, a sister of Mrs. Kelly has sent us several of the best fiction, also a year's subscription to the magazine "Our Dumb Animals" for the children's room.

Mr. H. B. Preston the usual number of best sellers, including "Fair stood the Wind for France."

Mrs. Andrew Fowler, a book.

Mrs. W. J. Parmenter, a book.

Norman Parmenter, 2 books.

Miss Clare Dunsing, 4 books.

Thanks to Major Warren C. Brown who was in.



charge of the Bond Drives of this town, we have a framed War Service Certificate of Commendation from the War Department.

H. W. Cogswell, two copies of "Read" magazine.

We have not as yet used any of the income accruing from the "Huntoon Fund", but shall find it of great help this coming year.

Alva S. Bunnell of Contoocook, a native of Heniker and for many years a resident, has presented Tucker Free Library with a beautiful combination bookcase and secretary. This piece of furniture was made many years ago by the donor's father, the late Seth A. Bunnell, from native hard woods and presented as a wedding gift to the latter's bride, Miss Helen Eastman. The workmanship of the highest quality, the various woods being inlaid in an attractive design. It is appropriate that this memorial to Mr. Bunnell be preserved in the local library as he was the contractor for the woodwork when the building was constructed in 1904 and harmonizes with the fine interior finish of the Historical room in which it has been placed.

With the assistance of Prof. Frances Childs we have placed in this case the more valuable books of local interest selected from the Library's Collection. Mr. Winfred Ripley re-finished the desk and it should be seen to be appreciated.

In closing we wish to express our sincere thanks for every gift, and kindness shown. We were very glad of the opportunity of being able to place the gift books where they are and will be appreciated. The American Merchant Marine sent us a very grateful note of appreciation. And the extra books for our



use are very helpful. Please continue to keep us in mind when there are good books to be disposed of.

FANNIE W. BENNETT,

Librarian.

MARION L. GARLAND,

Assistant, Librarian.

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**OF H. B. PRESTON, TREASURER**  
**OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY**  
**For The Eleven Months Ending Dec. 31, 1944**

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**Receipts**

Feb. 1, 1944, cash on hand	\$352.38
Town Treas. town appropriation	178.00
Trustees Trust Funds, L. A. Cogswell fund	75.77
Trustees Trust Funds, Tucker fund:—	
Income from notes and bonds	778.45
Income from stocks	21.00
Income from Savings Banks	110.36
Trustees Trust Funds, Income from	
D. W. and E. L. Cogswell fund, 10 %	99.79
Trustees Trust Funds, Income Alice V.	
Colby Fund	6.07
Trustees Trust Funds, Income A. D.	
Huntoon Memorial fund	25.15
	\$1,646.97

**Payments**

National Geographic Society, sub.	\$3.50
German Goldberger, subscriptions	50.35
Ruth C. Maxwell, sub. Henniker Courier	2.50
O. D. Daniels, repairs	27.24

F. A. Peaslee, cash adv. for repairs	5.50
R. C. Knapton, repairs	2.00
H. L. Holmes & Son, coal	161.73
Earl Whitcomb, wood	24.00
B. W. Patenaude, wood	16.00
Elwin F. Palmer, drawing wood	4.00
F. A. Peaslee, cash adv. for fuel	1.25
H. R. Hunting Co., books	63.69
Personal Book Shop, Inc., books	77.09
Library Book House, books	8.67
Goodman's Bookstore, books	8.21
Fred A. Peaslee, janitor and supplies	227.97
Mrs. Fannie W. Bennett, librarian	300.00
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	54.88
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., tel. service	31.08
Cogswell Spring Water Co., water rent	16.00
Service charge on checking account	.94
H. B. Preston, final payment on loan	100.00
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1944	460.37
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	\$1,646.97

### Summary of Payments in 1944

Newspaper and magazine subscriptions	\$56.35
Electric lights	54.88
Librarian's salary	300.00
Janitor services and supplies	226.58
Fuel	206.98
Water rent	16.00
New books	157.66
Telephone service	31.08
Supplies	1.39
Repairs	34.74
Service charge on checks	.94

Payment on loan

100.00

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\$1,186.60

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Harry B. Preston, Treasurer of the Tucker Free Library, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
LESTER E. CONNOR,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,

Auditors of Town of Henniker.

Henniker, N. H., Jan. 13, 1945.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

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## Receipts

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1944	\$867.87
Town of Henniker, hydrant rental	1,179.00
Water rents, Feb. 1, 1944 to Dec. 31, 1944	2,507.80
Merchandise sold	29.49
Trustees of Town Trust funds to pay bond due Aug. 1, 1944	15,000.00

\$19,584.16

## Disbursements

Grover C. Annis, pumping	\$476.10
Harold Davis, pumping	366.45
O. D. Daniels, pumping	271.25
Trustees Town Trust funds, Interest	883.75
State St. Trust Co., bonds int.	300.00
H. L. Holmes & Son	461.96
Public Service Co., lights	38.48
State St. Trust Co., bond due Aug. 1	15,000.00
Pierce-Perry Co.	28.74
George E. Hall	391.30

The Maxwell Press	27.59	
W. L. Childs Bank, expense	5.49	
Page Belting Co.	59.54	
Fairbanks-Morse Co.	2.54	
South Weare Garage	4.37	
William H. Carr	31.20	
Checking with 292 patrons, postage and telephone	7.00	
William H. Carr, report to Public Service Commission	5.00	
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		\$18,360.76
O. D. Daniels, labor	\$189.48	
Lester H. Farrar, labor	5.40	
Arthur J. Hall, labor	27.00	
Howard Taylor, labor	17.10	
Walter Watkins, labor	1.60	
Ernest Carnes, labor	12.00	
Charles Fisher, labor	2.00	
Elwin Palmer, labor	2.10	
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		\$256.68
H. L. Holmes, commissioner	\$25.00	
William H. Carr, commissioner	25.00	
C. O. Daniels, commissioner	25.00	
W. L. Childs, treasurer	25.00	
William H. Carr, collector	100.00	
William H. Carr, pumping records	5.00	
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		\$205.00
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		\$18,822.44
Cash on hand		761.72
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		\$19,584.16

### Outstanding Notes Dec. 31, 1944

Town of Henniker Note	\$5,000.00
Town of Henniker Note	10,000.00
Town of Henniker Note	10,000.00
Town of Henniker Note	10,000.00
Town of Henniker Note	15,000.00
Trustees Town Trust Funds	6,125.00

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY L. HOLMES,  
WILLIAM H. CARR,  
O. D. DANIELS,

Water Commissioners..

# PUMPING RECORD FROM JAN. 1, 1944 TO JAN. 1, 1945

	Cost of Attendance	Gallons of Water Pumped	Attendance hrs.	Attendance min.	Pump Time hrs.	Pump Time min.
January	\$79.80	1,392,000	133	-	116	-
February	117.00	2,046,000	195	-	170	- 30
March	93.00	1,596,000	155	-	133	- 15
April	82.05	1,425,000	136	- 45	118	- 45
May	86.10	1,476,000	143	- 30	123	-
June	86.70	1,503,000	144	- 30	125	- 15
July	114.90	2,049,000	191	- 30	170	- 45
August	118.80	2,130,000	198	- 15	177	- 30
September	105.45	1,872,000	175	- 45	156	-
October	104.85	1,866,000	174	- 45	155	- 30
November	109.20	1,881,000	182	-	156	- 45
December	93.75	1,647,000	156	-	137	- 15
Totals	\$1,191.60	20,883,000	1986	-	1740	- 30

Cost of Attendance \$1,191.60  
 Cost of Fuel 461.96  
 Cost of Lights 38.48

Average cost per 1000 gallons  $\frac{\$1,692.04}{.081}$



## COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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Water rent to be collected Feb. 1, 1944	\$572.13
Collected and paid to	
William L. Childs	\$427.19
Uncollected July 1, 1944	144.94
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	\$572.13
Water rent to be collected	
July 1, 1944	\$2,326.00
Collected and paid to	
William L. Childs	2,080.61
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	\$2,326.00
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1944	\$245.39

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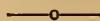
## Cogswell Spring Water Works

1944

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Equipment	\$418.00
Material on hand	755.79
Tools on hand	66.11
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	\$1,239.90

## TREASURER'S REPORT



### Cogswell Spring Water Works

Feb. 1, 1944—Cash on hand	\$867.87
Received—	
William H. Carr, collector, water rents	\$2,507.80
William H. Carr, collector, hydrant rental	1,179.00
William H. Carr, collector, merchandise sold	29.49
Water Commissioners, Trustees of Town	
Trust funds for bonds due Aug. 1, 1944	15,000.00
Total receipts	<hr/> \$19,584.16
Paid by order of Water Commissioners	18,822.44
Dec. 31, 1944—Cash on hand	<hr/> \$761.72

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,

Treasurer.

**HENNIKER  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
REPORTS**

## SCHOOL WARRANT



### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of  
Henniker qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in  
said district on the thirteenth day of March 1945, at 2:00  
o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the  
ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School  
Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any  
other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Commit-  
tees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in re-  
lation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Henniker, this 23rd day of February 1945.

J. PHILIP CHASE,  
DOROTHY G. GOSS,  
HARRY L. HOLMES,

School Board..

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

J. PHILIP CHASE,  
DOROTHY G. GOSS,  
HARRY L. HOLMES,

School Board..

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Henniker District:

During the year 1943-1944 the following teachers were employed:

School	Teacher	Training	Yr. Grad.
High	C. Wayne Hancock, Headmaster	Dartmouth	1927
	Leroy V. Cleveland, Eng. & Sc.	Aurora College	1941
	*Ruth A. Hardy, Domestic Science	U. N. H.	1941
	Helen F. St. George, Eng. & French	U. N. H.	1932
	Mrs. Evelyn M. Rice, Domestic Sc.	K. T. C.	1927
Junior High Central	Olive H. Marshall, Math.	P. T. C.	1940
	Ella D. Perham, Grades 7-8	K. T. C.	1931
	Mrs. Evelyn Beane, Grades 5-6	K. T. C.	1918
	Gertrude Farmer, Grades 4-5	K. T. C.	1931
	Marion Finnigan, Grades 2-3	P. T. C.	1940
	Mrs. Louise P. Parker, Grades 1-2	Lowell T. C.	1936
Quaker Street Music	Mrs. Minnie V. Smith, Grades 1-8	K. T. C.	1938
	**Gilda V. Drago	B. U.	

\* Miss Hardy left March 1, 1944 to be succeeded by Mrs. Rice who taught the remainder of the year.

\*\* Miss Drago left March 31, 1944.

# GENERAL STATISTICS

	High School	Grades 7-8	Grades 5-6	Grades 4-5	Grades 2-3	Grades 1-2	Quaker Street	Total 1943-1944	Total 1942-1943
Half days in session	342	342	358	358	358	358	360	355 2-3	352 2-7
Half days lost	18	18	2	2	2	2	0	4 1-3	7 5-7
No. pupils registered	63	41	26	25	28	29	13	225	258
Average membership	60.06	39.78	25.00	22.67	25.51	23.40	11.67	208.09	220.43
Percent attendance	94.7	94.34	93.44	93.11	94.67	93.33	87.83	93.87	92.99
Number tardinesses	203	79	25	21	7	15	8	358	297
Average tardinesses per pupil	3.3	1.9	1	.9	.2	.6	.6	1.7	1.3
Number visits Superintendent	68	8	33	28	31	33	11	212	232
Number visits School Board	19	0	22	20	20	20	0	101	25
Number visits Citizens	27	0	2	13	13	10	37	102	93

From the above tabulation it will be noted that not much total time was lost as in the previous year, although eighteen half days were lost by the high school. The number of pupils registered was 33 less than the previous year and 42 less than in 1941-1942. Although the percent of attendance has slightly improved it was not up to the state average. The amount of tardiness has also increased especially in the high school. We hope these conditions will be improved the following year. The total number of pupils residing in the district and attending public schools was 226. Of this number one elementary pupil attended in Concord.

It was planned to begin an Agricultural Course in the high school in the fall of 1944 but no teacher was available. However, a course in Smith-Hughes Trades and Industries will be continued until a teacher of Agriculture becomes available.

There is still great need of better lighting for the Central Building. As mentioned in our annual reports for 1939-1940 and 1940-1941 there is only one unshaded light bulb in the front part of each room, and all rooms used except that occupied by grades 5-6 are lighted from three sides. As soon as materials are available these conditions should be remedied.

The teacher shortage continues to increase. We are informed that a total of only eighteen elementary teachers will be available from Teachers Colleges at Keene and Plymouth in June 1945.

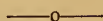
Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. SINCLAIR,

Superintendent of Schools.



## GRADUATES, JUNE, 1944



Harold Ayer, Jr.	Christine Goss
Elizabeth Barker	Richard MacLeod
Therese Damour	Arlene Marston
Beverly Davison	Jackie Phelps
Lorna Doon	Mary Ann Straw
Durwood French	Martella Tucker
Joyce Garland	



## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE



### For One Year

Mary Maxwell	Betty Philibert
Marion Philibert	Constance Beane
Carolyn Beane	Janet Holmes
George E. Fisher	Grace Philibert
Ruth Garland	John Beane

### For Three Nine Week Periods

Wilfred Calkins	Alden Farrar
Beverly Herrick	Dale Hall
Marilyn Clement	William Maillette
Wallace Brill	Helen Heino
Donald Jones	Joyce Clement
Janice Maxwell	David Patenaude
Graydon Clark	

### For Two Nine Week Periods

Evelyn Damour	Jerome Caldwell
Christine Goss	Shirley Brady
Robert Hatch	Eunice Hall
Shirley Holmes	Duane Bishopric
Byron Whitcomb	William Hazen
Joyce Garland	Edward Moody
Mary Ann Straw	Bradley Caldwell
Mary Beane	Victor Damour
Charles Clark	Sally Hazen
Rena Coombs	Herschel Murdough
Robert French	Roland Carmichael
Richard Jones	Roland Goss
Phyllis Straw	Sandra Hazen
Peter Beane	Jean Knapton
Josie Davison	Clara Robertson
Marvis Cooper	Joseph Robertson
Bernard Maillette	Jean Carmichael

## TREASURER'S REPORT



### Henniker School District

July 1, 1943—cash on hand	\$2,373.48
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#### Received from School Board

Federal funds for teaching home economics	\$224.49
State, reimbursement for teacher of trade and industry	568.58
State, state aid	2,949.22
Dog tax 1943	368.66
School appropriation	18,996.00
Tuitions	165.68
Federal funds, years 1943 and 1944	160.62
Supplies sold	11.81
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Total receipts	\$25,818.54
Paid by order of School Board	23,344.50
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June 30, 1944—cash on hand	\$2,474.04

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,

Treasurer.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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### L. A. Cogswell Memorial School Fund

July 1, 1943—Cash on hand	\$24.64
Received—	
Trustees of Town Trust Funds	\$450.00
School Board, rent of gymnasium	30.00
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Total receipts	\$504.64
Paid by order of School Board	486.37
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Cash on hand, June 30, 1944	\$18.27

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,  
Treasurer.

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## TREASURER'S REPORT

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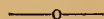
### Cogswell School Fund

July 1, 1943—Cash on hand	\$15.62
Received—	
Trustees of Town Trust Funds	\$1,543.31
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Total receipts	\$1,558.93
Paid by order of School Board	1,319.00
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Cash on hand, June 30, 1944	\$239.93

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,  
Treasurer.

## TREASURER'S REPORT



### George H. Dodge Fund

July 1, 1943—Cash on hand	\$26.85
Received—	
Trustees of Town Trust Funds	\$21.25
Interest	.83
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Total receipts	\$48.93
Paid by order of School Board	21.00
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June 30, 1944—Cash on hand	\$27.93

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,

Treasurer.

# **TOTAL SCHOOL EXPENSES FROM JULY 1, 1943,**

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**TO JUNE 30, 1944, INCLUSIVE**

	Total	High	Elem.
1. Administration	\$1,334.97		
2. Teacher's			
Salaries	15,010.00	\$6,903.80	\$8,106.20
3. Textbooks	421.42	148.62	272.80
4. Scholar's supplies	512.05	223.18	288.87
5. Flags	4.15		4.15
6. Other expenses			
of instruction	148.35	85.52	62.83
7. Janitor's sal.	2,141.76	680.10	1,461.66
8. Fuel	1,174.97	480.43	694.54
9. Water, lights			
and janitor's			
supplies	657.49	282.46	375.03
10. Health super.	317.15	101.05	216.10
11. Transportation	2,663.74		2,663.74
12. Insurance	287.37		
13. Minor repairs			
and expenses	247.93	96.39	151.54
14. Other special			
activities	193.93	113.77	80.16
15. New equipment	34.59		
Total	\$25,149.87	\$9,115.32	\$14,377.62

Note—Since the seventh and eighth grades are classified as elementary, a part of these expenses, even though spent on Cogswell School, are included in elementary expenditures.

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### DETAIL NO. 1

#### Administration

##### Expenses

Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., telephone	\$44.64
W. L. Childs, cash advanced on activity	
charge at bank	1.95
Helen M. Doon, P. M., envelopes	4.89
Maxwell Press, letter heads and order forms	9.75
John A. Sinclair, postage, tel. and supplies	26.17
Dorothy G. Goss, cash advanced for envelopes	4.07
School Service Co., supplies	23.66
Edson C. Eastman, record sheets and	
school warrants	5.60
Supervisory Union No. 26, supt. stenographer	72.00
First National Bank of Hillsboro, check book	2.64
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	\$195.37

##### Salaries of District Officers:

William L. Childs	\$50.00
Harry L. Holmes	70.00
J. Philip Chase	40.00
Dorothy G. Goss	103.60
Mildred C. French	11.40
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\$275.00

Elmer J. Bartlett, treas., supt. excess salary	\$320.00
F. Gordon Kimball, treas., per capita tax	526.00
Truant Officer and Census:	
Ernest P. Greenwood, truant officer	7.00
R. E. Lane, census cards	1.60
Dorothy G. Goss, school census	10.00
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	\$1,334.97

## DETAIL NO. 2

### Teacher's Salaries

Paid from the General Fund —

C. Wayne Hancock	\$2,500.00
Ruth A. Hardy	213.00
Olive H. Marshall	1,200.00
Ella D. Perham	1,200.00
Gilda V. Drago	322.00
Ruth Reen	138.00
Helen F. St. George	1,300.00
Leroy V. Cleveland	1,447.60
Evelyn H. Beane	1,100.00
Marion R. Finnigan	1,100.00
Gertrude Farmer	1,100.00
Louise C. Parker	1,045.00
Minnie V. Smith	950.00
Evelyn M. Rice	70.40
Marion S. Connor	5.00
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	\$13,691.00

Paid from the D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund—

Leroy V. Cleveland	\$352.40
Ruth A. Hardy	537.00
Evelyn M. Rice	429.60
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	\$15,010.00



### DETAIL NO. 3

#### Textbooks

Allyn & Bacon	\$10.37
American Book Co.	101.98
The Arlo Publishing Co.	13.29
The Grolier Society, Inc.	1.95
Ginn & Co.	95.00
Iroquois Publishing Co.	27.75
Little, Brown & Co.	25.80
The Macmillan Co.	8.81
Pioneer Office Appliance Co.	2.70
Scott, Foresman & Co.	92.83
Sugar Ball Press	7.95
World Book Co.	7.76
C. D. Heath & Co.	8.05
Webster Publishing Co.	2.28
J. L. Hammett Co.	8.19
A. J. Nystrom & Co.	6.80
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	\$421.42

### DETAIL NO. 4

#### Scholar's Supplies

Chase's Market	\$40.92
F. L. Chase	18.31
Coolidge & Edmunds	18.79
Concord Lumber Co.	39.65
Dowling School Supply Co.	36.54
Expression Co.	.62
Gledhill Bros.	151.11
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	52.47

The Hearing Aids Co.	2.00
K. & P. Food Store	6.58
The Maxwell Press	9.85
J. L. Hammett	13.71
Philips Paper Co.	10.29
Henry S. Walkins Co.	60.74
Webster Publishing Co.	1.92
Rand, McNally Co.	5.34
Houghton & Mifflin	7.36
World Book Co.	5.46
O. H. Toothaker	13.06
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Corp.	12.00
Pioneer Office Appliance Co.	5.33
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	\$512.05

#### DETAIL NO. 5

##### Flags and Appurtenances

Edward E. Babb & Co., flag	\$4.15
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#### DETAIL NO. 6

##### Other Expenses of Instruction

Maxwell Press, commencement programs	\$10.25
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	3.75
Americana Corporation, supplies	1.95
Edward E. Babb, pencil sharpener	2.10
O. H. Toothaker, maps and supplies	16.93
Henry S. Walkins Co., supplies	11.51
Frontier Press of Boston, supplies	14.52
American Book Co.	1.00

Films, Inc., moving picture films	36.36
C. Wayne Hancock, express paid on films	8.32
World Book Co., supplies	16.49
M. N. Perkins Co., diplomas	14.30
Public Schools Publishing Co., supplies	.87
C. Wayne Hancock, cash advanced for speaker for baccalaureate	10.00
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	\$148.35

#### DETAIL NO. 7

##### Janitor's Supplies

Paid from the General Fund—	
Hazel Davison	\$40.00
J. B. Bishopric	920.08
Grover C. Annis	695.31
Paid from the L. A. Cogswell Fund—	
Grover C. Annis	486.37
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	\$2,141.76

#### DETAIL NO. 8

##### Fuel

H. L. Holmes & Son, wood and kerosene	\$73.33
G. H. W. Blaisdell, wood	30.00
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, coal	1,046.64
William Gardner, labor on wood	8.50
Norman Greenly, moving coal	13.50
Ellory Ayer, trucking coal	3.00
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	\$1,174.97

## DETAIL NO. 9

### Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies

Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	\$290.06
Holmerden Co., soap and disinfectant	85.28
West Disinfecting Co., towels, etc.	63.60
Cogswell Spring Water Works	100.00
H. L. Holmes & Son, trucking	15.65
Mrs. Frank Matheson, chemicals	28.75
F. L. Chase, supplies	38.72
Coolidge & Edmunds, supplies	13.18
Chase's market	1.47
C. B. Dolge Co., wax,	17.81
Hennker Handle Corp., oil	2.00
Henniker Battery Station, hardware	.97
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	\$657.49

## DETAIL NO. 10

### Health Supervision

Dr. E. W. Gillander, examination of children	\$117.15
Henniker Public Health Assoc., nurse	200.00
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	\$317.15

## DETAIL NO. 11

### Transportation

L. P. Buxton	\$1,093.69
W. F. Hooper	626.50

S. C. Bennett	438.55
W. D. White	358.00
L. W. Carnes	84.00
Arthur Morse	63.00
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	\$2,663.74

## DETAIL NO. 12

### Insurance

H. L. Holmes & Son, insurance (Cogswell and Central)	\$287.37
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## DETAIL NO. 13

### Minor Repairs and Expenses

F. L. Chase, supplies	\$69.08
A. F. Colby, labor and material at Quaker School	29.95
P. O. Russell, labor at Quaker School	12.00
B. J. Bishopric, labor and material	92.77
L. D. Davison, labor at Quaker School	7.50
Carpenter's, repairing clocks	6.00
O. J. Malmgren, tape for Venetian blinds	14.50
H. L. Holmes & Son, trucking	8.00
Lester Farrar, labor on trees	4.13
Frank Leaf, sharpening lawn mowers	2.00
R. C. Knapton, setting glass	2.00
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	\$247.93

DETAIL NO. 14

**Other Special Activities**

Clarence Fitch, coaching athletics	\$50.00
Chase's Market, supplies	3.03
Coolidge & Edmunds, supplies	6.55
Crafts Gas and Electric Appliance Co., gas	24.00
F. L. Chase, supplies, for hot lunches	4.10
Martha Twiss, preparing hot lunches	50.00
Films, Inc., moving picture films	56.25
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	\$193.93

DETAIL NO. 15

**New Equipment**

Dowling School Supply Co., stapling machine	\$3.50
Edward E. Babb, card cutter	4.45
F. L. Chase, curtains	4.50
American Book Co.	6.99
Coolidge & Edmunds, dishes	15.15
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	\$34.59

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1945-1946

### Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools	High School	Elementary	
Teachers' Salaries	\$10,570.00	\$6,590.00	
Text Books	200.00	200.00	
Scholars' Supplies	300.00	250.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	5.00	5.00	
Other Expenses of Instruction	130.00	120.00	
Janitor Service	1,250.00	1,100.00	
Fuel	653.12	653.12	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	350.00	300.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	200.00	300.00	
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	100.00	250.00	
Transportation of Pupils		2,676.00	
Payment of Elementary Tuitions		36.00	
Other Special Activities	100.00	100.00	
	<u>\$13,853.12</u>	<u>\$12,580.12</u>	<u>\$26,433.24</u>
Other Statutory Requirements			
Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District		\$275.00	
Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District)		15.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)		400.00	
Per Capita Tax (Report of State Treasurer)		506.00	
New Equipment		35.00	
Other Obligations, Administration and Insurance		500.00	
			<u>\$1,731.00</u>
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget			<u>\$28,169.24</u>

### Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1945 (Estimate)	\$150.00	
State Aid (December Allotment( and Fed. Aid	3,400.00	
Dog Tax (Estimate)	150.00	
Income from Trust Funds (Estimate)	1,500.00	
		<u>\$5,200.00</u>
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		<u>\$22,969.24</u>

## INVENTORY OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

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	Buildings	Equipment
Memorial	\$90,000.00	\$20,000.00
Central	18,000.00	1,500.00
West Henniker	800.00	
Brick	300.00	
Quaker	300.00	200.00

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## AUDITOR'S REPORT

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We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of Dorothy G. Goss, Secretary of the School Board, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,  
LESTER E. CONNOR,

Auditors.

July 12, 1944.

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## ORDERS DRAWN FOR SCHOOL EXPENSES

From July 1, 1944 to January 1, 1945

General Fund	\$11,165.46
D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund	683.20
L. A. Cogswell Memorial School Fund	.60



**VITAL  
STATISTICS**

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1944

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of Each		Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by Whom Married
				What Marriage	What Marriage			
Feb. 26	Herman P. Murdough	Henniker	57	2	Hillsboro	Noah F. Murdough	Alfred Dunn,	
Weare	Maude A. Vose	Henniker	40	2	Jamaica, Vt.	Almira Colby	Minister, Weare	
March 12	Lucien L. Forand	Concord	21	1	Concord	Lytie Allen	Richard F. Beyer,	
Concord	Mildred G. Rand	Henniker	25	1	Henniker	Joseph Forand	Clergyman, Concord	
July 11	George D. Goodrich	Henniker	32	2	Providence, R.I.	Regina Dame	Woodbury S. Stowell,	
Henniker	Barbara F. Clement	Henniker	22	1	Franklin	William H. Rand	Clergyman, Henniker	
July 29	Franklin P. Annis	Henniker	27	1	Bristol, Conn.	Maude G. Moody	Ernest A. Shephard,	
Bradford	Lois Knapp	Concord	26	1	Concord	Alonzo J. Goodrich	Clergyman, Concord	
Aug. 16	Harry L. Hook	Henniker	41	1	Francestown	Leola T. Judkins	Marshall A. Derby,	
Hillsboro	Rose M. Jolly	Henniker	25	1	Dalton, Mass.	Harold S. Clement	Justice of the Peace, Hillsboro	
Aug. 26	Ellery B. Ayer	Henniker	21	1	Henniker	Hazel F. Richards	Richard F. Beyer,	
Concord	Lillian M. Marshall	Concord	23	1	Lancaster	Grover C. Annis	Clergyman, Concord	

Sept. 16	Shirley C. Robertson	Henniker	30	1	W	Hopkinton	Milo B. Robertson Emma Blanchette Louis M. Lessard Leonie M. Rivard Roy, A. Messer Marion Cameron Daniel C. Woodman Elsie G. Herrick Ann Walker James I. Thompson Edward C. McKoan Elizabeth A. O'Neill Joseph Homo Mabel Davis George St. Louis Regina Morrell	Woodbury S. Stowell, Clergyman, Henniker  Clinton A. Condict, Minister, Durham,  Charles J. Leddy, Catholic Priest, Hillsboro  Eugene W. Leach, Justice of the Peace, Concord
Henniker	Lucia M. Currier	Contoocook	35	2		Candia		
Oct. 6	Robert A. Messer	Bradford	23	1		Bradford		
Henniker	Vivian A. Woodman	Henniker	23	1		Beverly, Mass.		
Oct. 20	James I. Thompson Jr.	Brookline, Mass.	27	1		Brookline, Mass.		
Hillsboro	Jean C. McKoan	Henniker	25	1		Watham, Mass.		
Nov. 6	Reginald L. Homo	Henniker	20	1		Henniker		
Franklin	Marie R. St. Louis	Franklin	17	1		Franklin		

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
CHARLES H. TUCKER, Deputy Town Clerk.

# Births Registered in the Town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1944.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents
Jan. 3	Concord	Carol May	Frederick A. Connor	Helen E. Stevens	Henniker
Jan. 11	Henniker	Leon Walter	Scott W. Nelson	Clementine L. Cutter	Hillsboro
Jan. 17	Concord	Virginia Florence	George F. Arnos	Madeline A. McLean	Henniker
Jan. 20	Henniker	John Dawson 3rd.	John D. McGregor Jr.	Janice M. Daniels	Henniker
Jan. 24	Henniker	Linda Elaine	John D. Armstrong	Alice M. Gammell	Hennington
Jan. 25	Concord	Donald Raymond	Raymond A. Peasley	Elizabeth R. Chase	Henniker
Jan. 27	Concord	Stephen Prescott	Prescott S. Farrar	Katherine C. Hitchcock	Henniker
Feb. 22	Henniker	Velma Mae	Francis A. Hardy	Ruth M. Cooper	W. Hopkinton
Feb. 24	Henniker	Fay Ward	Ronald D. Daniels	Nellie F. Ward	Henniker
March 8	Franklin	Beverly Jane	Wallace P. Barnard	Augusta Merrill	Henniker
March 30	Henniker	John Wallace Jr.	John W. Green	Norma C. Holdener	Hillsboro
April 29	Henniker	Bruce William	Lester W. Nickerson	Mildred E. Nason	Hillsboro
May 16	Henniker	Kenneth Roger	Harold G. Stafford	Elda B. White	Hillsboro
May 17	Henniker	Alice Evelyn	Charles R. Wheeler	Josephine E. Creighton	Hillsboro
May 24	Henniker	Sharon Ann	Constantius Poluchov	Myrta J. Hilton	Hillsboro
June 14	Henniker	John Quincy	James F. Adams	Alma J. Spalding	Deering
June 19	Henniker	Roy Clark Jr.	Roy C. Derby	Annie C. Poluchov	Hillsboro
June 29	Concord	Dawn Elaine	Russell A. Flanders	Edris B. Merrill	Henniker
July 2	Henniker	Donald Ray	Roscoe S. Putnam	Velma I. Pearson	Hillsboro
July 5	Henniker	Melvin Earl	Edward C. Radford	Lillian R. Greigoire	Hillsboro
July 11	Henniker	Alice Gaynor	Charles J. Kulbacki	Gaynor C. Wardenski	Hillsboro
July 16	Henniker	Helena Lou	Edwin R. Kerley	Anita H. Olsen	Henniker
July 23	Concord	Robert Eugene Jr.	Robert E. Lemay	Rita P. Wood	Henniker

July 23	Henniker	Clyde Frederick	Frederick G. Barnard	Caroline P. Gould	Henniker
July 30	Henniker	Kenneth Roger	Winifred R. Dunlap	Shirley E. Davis	Hillsboro
July 31	Henniker	Maureen Joyce	George T. Sullivan	Helen H. Varvioletos	Bennington
Aug. 6	Peterboro	Richard Laurence	Clarence W. Edmunds	Hattie Parker	Henniker
Aug. 10	Concord	Daymon Allen	Herman P. Murdough	Maude A. Edwards	Henniker
Aug. 17	Henniker	James Herbert	Fred C. Greene	Elizabeth Korkunis	Hancock
Sept. 8	Henniker	Leroy Walter Jr.	Leroy W. Colburn	Viola M. Sweat	Weare
Sept. 12	Concord	Claude James	Claude A. Rowe	Leona W. Stafford	Henniker
Oct. 3	Concord	Lorraine	Arthur S. Hadley	Edith D. Buxton	Henniker
Oct. 10	Henniker	Bruce Ellsmore Jr.	Bruce E. Chapman	Gloria B. Davis	Henniker
Oct. 26	Henniker	Franklin Frederick	Leslie C. Adams	Clara E. Dunham	Hillsboro
Oct. 27	Henniker	Nancy May	Herman O. Seggelin	Evelyn E. Leth	Antrim
Nov. 25	Henniker	Genevieve Bibian	James L. Eaton	Lauretta G. Cote	Hillsboro

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# Deaths Registered in the Town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1944

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days			
Jan. 6	Henniker	Charles W. Martin	77	11	25	So. Reading, M's	Frederick Martin	Caroline S. Davis
Jan. 12	Henniker	Edward G. Gregory	79	7	28	Quebec, Canada	George Gregory	Eliza Lambert
Jan. 18	Henniker	Annie E. Gage	65	1	25	Boston, Mass.	Silas G. Gage	Emma J. Drew
Jan. 21	Concord	Irving H. Hicks	83	6	5	Lancaster	John Hicks	Ann Mann
Jan. 29	Concord	Josephine H. Bunnell	65	10	10	East Concord	Seth Bunnell	Helen J. Eastman
Feb. 15	Hopkinton	George E. Rogers	85	6	24	Newburypt, M's	George E. Rogers	Unknown Paige
Feb. 15	Henniker	Boyd S. Carnes	53	4		Henniker	Charles O. Carnes	Angeline Merrill
Feb. 22	Henniker	Fred A. Leavitt	87	3	8	Pittsfield	William B. Leavitt	Frances Merrill
Feb. 24	Henniker	Harry A. Tucker	75	3	26	Lawrence, Mass.	Thomas F. Tucker	Mary J. Sanborn
March 5	Henniker	Ida R. Savage	81	8	3	Pelmont	Ruel Savage	Grace Holmes
March 8	Concord	Helen H. Dawlin	36	11	7	Warner	Joel M. Howe	Elizabeth B. Woods
March 14	Henniker	Fred W. Scruton	58	4	2	New Boston	Arthur G. Scruton	Cora P. Woodbury
March 28	Henniker	Cedric W. Allen	2	3	25	Henniker	Clarence Allen	Agnes Jones
April 4	Henniker	Emma H. Whidden	77	3	23	Northwood	Daniel W. Hill	Ann L. Lucas
June 3	Henniker	Victor Carnes	8	1	24	Concord	Wayne R. Carnes	Heleen A. Gammell
June 10	Henniker	Ernest W. Hussey	76	7	14	Lynn, Mass.	Isaac W. Hussey	Olive Maxfield
June 13	Henniker	Willard C. Carpenter	81	4	21	St. Johnsb'y, Vt.	Chas. P. Carpenter	Ottie Paddock
July 27	Lowell, Mass.	Patrick J. Gately	88					
July 27	Lowell, Mass.	Enna B. Malory	78	10	2	New Brunswick	Samuel Burlock	Martha J. Richard
Sept. 3	Concord	Flora D. Cogswell	76	6	1	Goffstown	Henry H. Johnson	
Sept. 4	Henniker	Carrie L. Earl	73	2	3	Masena, N. Y.	Jackson Dow	Hannah Hoyt
Sept. 4	Concord	Charles J. Dow	73	6	3	Henniker	Jonathan F. Vitty	Elizabeth Howe
Sept. 16	Concord	Albert E. Vitty	88	4	9	Weare	Benjamin McIlvin	Martha Emery
Sept. 26	Concord	Lillian B. Brown	76	9	27	Andrim	Alden W. Rowe	Almira Craig
Sept. 30	Henniker	Willis J. Rowe	73	3	19	Bradford	Shepard J. Diamond	Orannah Virgin
Oct. 6	Concord	Kate D. Whittier	78	11	27	Danbury	George M. French	Mary F. Gillis
Oct. 11	Goffstown	Lizzie E. Gordon	74	16		Bedford	Chas. A. Burnham	Edna E. Vitty
Nov. 15	Henniker	Bruce I. Burnham	19	4	14	St. Albans, Vt.	Chas. A. Burnham	
Nov. 24	Concord	Rodney H. Stafford	4	2	3	Concord	Harold G. Stafford	Eleda B. White
Dec. 4	Manchester	Leola T. Goodrich	53	4	1	Carthage, Me.	Lewis Judkins	

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